

One Hundred Attend W.O.T.M. Conference Here

One hundred attended the conference of Southern District Women of the Moose held in McDonald hall, 1961 Carson street, Tuesday.

An outstanding feature of the conference was the talk on "Mooseheart's California Building." This unit at Mooseheart houses 22 girls and is sponsored entirely by California Women of the Moose. Mrs. Bessie Lovett of Long Beach, who is the National Vice-Alumni president of the Women of the Moose, was the speaker.

Mrs. Roberta Meyer, second state dean of friendship spoke briefly and Pauline Hutchins of Long Beach conducted a professor quiz contest, which proved instructive and entertaining.

The new Women of the Moose ritual was fittingly exemplified by women from the various chapters namely: Torrance, Whittier and Golden State. Seventeen chapters were represented.

Next District conference will be held in November at East Los Angeles. That chapter serves as hostess.

CARD PARTY

Child care and training committees of Torrance chapter Women of the Moose will sponsor a card party to be held Friday, August 25 in Moose hall, 1961 Carson street. Bridge, pinocchio, 500 and bunks will be played with games starting promptly at 8:15 p. m. Players will receive 200 points for being on time.

SEPTEMBER MEET

A special meeting arranged by the publicity committee with Auguste Barnett as chairman will be held in the hall, 1961 Carson street, Friday, September 1. They invite the public to attend.

BARRINGTON HOSTS AT STRAIN BAKE

The 24th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Osborne of Downey, furnished the incentive for a steak-bake at the H. C. Barrington home, 2368 Torrance boulevard, last evening.

Those attending the affair were Messrs. and Mmes. E. L. Osborne, Ray Rogers, Jack Quigley, Otis Putnam, Wm. Betz, Ed Hatter, Clyde Lowen, H. C. Barrington, Neva June Lowen, Billy Rogers, J. A. and Frances Barrington.

WHAT THE SPINSTERS ARE DOING

Miss Jean Kresse and Shirley Johnson shared honors as co-hostesses, when they entertained at the regular meeting of "The Spinsters" in the Kresse home, 1443 El Prado, Tuesday evening.

Twelve were present. Most important event of the evening was the planning for the invitational dance, which the young ladies are holding in the Hollywood Riviera clubhouse Saturday evening, August 26.

September 12 meeting will be a pot-luck supper in the Torrance city park with Jeanette Mikelson as chairman.

CHILD WELFARE DIVISION TEA AND PROGRAM

Children of members of the Torrance Woman's club who are talented in any line of entertainment will be featured on a program planned for Wednesday, September 6.

The child-welfare division of the club will give its annual tea, which starts at 1:30 p. m. They extend a special invitation to the public to attend.

Tickets will go on sale Friday and may be obtained from members of the club or the committee on arrangements. The committee is composed of Mmes. Maude Lock, Ruth Rogers and Marie Quigley.

WORKING MARRIED WOMEN

Mrs. F. D. R. Speaks Her Mind About Controversy



MRS. F. D. ROOSEVELT opposes family bureaucracies

The controversy about married women working has bobbed into the news again with the suggestion by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt that the best way to combat the legislative trend to bar married women from state and local government is to bring out the "facts."

"Efforts are now being made to find out what the facts are," the President's wife says in the August issue of *The Democratic Digest*, publication of the Women's Division, Democratic National Committee, "and once they are verified I think women will have a basis for realistic presentation of the situation of married women as regards employment in general."

The First Lady declares that so far as she knows the number of married women in industry now is "comparatively small," has "very little effect on unemployment" and in most cases the women are engaged in work "unsuitable" for men. On the other hand, Mrs. Roosevelt thinks that "a good case" can be made against employing more than one member of a family in local, state or federal government when the salary of one of them provides an adequate standard of living.

Depends on Standard "It is important not to create a family bureaucracy in government," she holds. "When you find all of the members of a family working in the government service and bringing home to the same house an income clearly in excess of the normal family income, then I think it is time to consider passing a law not discriminating against married women, or men, or young people, or any specific group, but simply stating that to safeguard government service it is necessary to employ only one member of a family where the salary received is above a given amount."

However, Mrs. Roosevelt does not think two members of a family, living in the same house, should be barred from government employment "if the lack of one salary would prevent a marriage or make obligatory a very low standard of living."

Mrs. Roosevelt's opinions were given in response to a question asked her by Mrs. W. B. Murphy of Snow Hill, North Carolina: "Nineteen state legislatures have introduced bills during the past year to bar women who are married from employment in state and local government and in certain types of work. What steps can you suggest that women take to offset this trend?"

BIRTHDAY PARTY THIS EVENING Mrs. Esther Butler, 1819 Cabrillo avenue, will entertain at dinner this evening in her home for her mother, Mrs. John Axton and Rose Thompson and Albert Isen, a meeting was held in the Beale home, 1402 Acacia avenue.

WOMAN'S CLUB PLANS YEAR BOOK Mrs. M. J. Beale, past president of Torrance Woman's club, is busy planning the year book for '39-'40 club year. With the club president, Mrs. A. H. Shilgo and a capable committee composed of Mmes. Kenneth Hughes, Royd Thompson and Albert Isen, a meeting was held in the Beale home, 1402 Acacia avenue.

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THE poplin windbreaker with the fascinating drawstring hood is a college natural. It has a slide fastener and comes in a variety of colors. Proof against wind and weather, Good Housekeeping for September stresses this practical choice for a college wardrobe.

LOMITA CARD PARTY ATTRACTS 60

Mrs. Jennie Beck of Harbor City was the winner of the beautiful crocheted bed spread given away by the V. F. W. auxiliary at its card party Thursday night in Lomita.

About 60 guests enjoyed the party and those from out of town were evidently enjoying their lucky nights. Mrs. Sadie Nolan of San Pedro took the door prize and also the second prize in Five Hundred. Mrs. Hannah Kepley of San Pedro took first prize in Five Hundred while her husband, Bill Kepley was winner of first prize in bridge. However, Lomita claimed the pinocchio champions with Joe Morris first and Maude Straight winning second. Mrs. Anna Moore of Lomita won second prize in bridge.

Mrs. Lena King and her committee served homemade cake and coffee after the scores were tallied, and report a nice sum realized for their hospital fund.

SMITHS HOSTS AT BEACH PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith entertained at their beach home Sunday at Anaheim Landing. A delicious dinner was served on the porch overlooking the bay. Swimming and bridge were enjoyed by Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Casey, Harvey Guttenfelder, Charles Schultz, Harold Appenzeller, Charles Jones, Grover C. Whyte and D. L. Roberts.

FERN AVENUE P-T-A BOARD MEETING

Mrs. J. J. Millard, president of Fern Avenue Parent Teachers Association met with her executive board at Torrance City Park today to plan for their part in the Factory Frolic.

MRS. HOOVER AT UNIQUE BREAKFAST

Mrs. Ray Hoover entertained Saturday morning at a "Come as you are" party for members of the Friday Morning club. Breakfast was served in the patio of the Hoover home 1424 Acacia avenue, with guests attired in pajamas, house coats or what have you.

Each member who donned extra apparel after being invited at 7 a. m. to the 7:30 breakfast was fined for each article. Those included were Mmes. Mae McKinley, Loton Buckley, Al Kerber, A. W. Johnson, E. M. Mosher, Fred Knudson, Jas. H. Crumrine, Hugh Herring, E. W. Morang and the hostess.

The same group were recently entertained at a social evening in the home of May McKinley, 1417 Cola avenue.

MISS HUBER HOSTESS AT WEEK-END PARTY

Torrance Club National Business and Professional women were guests over the week-end at the Huber cabin, Lake Arrowhead. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Birda Paddock, Lute Fraser, Fern Shafstall, Frances Clark, Lloyd Maupin, Mary Nady, Flora Wright, Dorothy Jensen, and Marge Huber.

MRS. LEWELLEN HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. L. Lewellen, 1307 Madrid, entertained at a bridge luncheon in her home Thursday. Covers were placed for Mmes. Alma Smith, Ella Robinson, Dulcie Brooks, Melisse Strasser, Roxie Sleeth, Helen Mitchell, Velora Murphy and Lucille Lewellen.

Contract bridge prizes were captured by Alma Smith and Ella Robinson.

Billy Pat Host At Third Birthday Party

Tiny tots gathered at the D. A. Murphy home, 2567 Sonoma avenue for what proved to be one of the nicest children's parties in some time. The third birthday of Billy Pat furnished the incentive.

Motion pictures of the little ones at play, of Master Billy Pat opening his birthday gifts and of the children partaking of cake and ice cream were made by D. A. Murphy and Myra Beaman.

Little folks were presented with sand sets as favors. In the party were Bobby Hopkins, Jackie Beaman, Melisse and Nancy Ann Strasser, Jimmy, Charles and Dicky Scott, Cynthia and Mary Sue Easley, Dicky Weiz, Pat and Jimmy Jean.

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