## SERVICE SHORTS

se been promoted, sent overseas, come home on leave, met citi," of seen action? Many readers have told us they look fd each week to the accounts of local boys in service. The d will be glad to publish this news and looks to parents results of soldiers, sallors or Marines to furnish the material stand it in at once please. MICKEY HOWARD
whose real first name is Myrul,
visited his brother Melvin here
last week-end. Mickey is a
bomber pilot in the Navy. His
brother Manuel is in the Army
"somewhere in the Far East"
and no word has come from
him in the past four months.
Both boys are former Torrance Herald carriers and lived
at 1563 215th st. and on Post
ave. when they were residents of Torrance.

J. D. RADFORD . . . who is serving in the South Pacific sent his friend Billy Russell of this city a grisly "souvenir" this week. It was said to be a real Jap skull and the note from Radford accompanying it stated "there's plenty more where this one came from."

STAFF SERGEANT OR-VILLE W. HUDSON . . . sta-tioned at Murce Bombing Cen-ter near Lancaster, spent the weekend at his parents' home here. ,

SERGEANT WALTER C.
FOSTER . . . of Fort Ord
spent the weekend with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton
F. Foster, 911 Cota ave.

MAJOR LEONARD A.
DYKES , . . former principal
of the Torrance Elementary
school, is now stationed at
Victorville, doing general staff

FRANK STANOVICH .

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GUY ROWELL . . . was reported visiting his parents here on leave this week. He could only be identified last Thursday as a "Coral Sea Thursday as a "Coral Sea fighter." Since the Navy's announcement of the sinking of the U.S.S. Lexington, it can be revealed he was one of the survivors of that great airman and the country of the countr

survivors of that great aircreaft carrier.

\*\*MAEVIN GOETTSCH\*\*

another THS, alumnus and seur Tartar football player enlisted this week in the Navy. His home address is 715 Amapola ave. His friends here throw Marvin will do his best to score against the Axis.

\*\*STAFF SERGEANT WALTER C. WEST ... son of Mrs. Alie M. West, of 1829 Arilington ave., returned this week from Albrook Field, Panama Canal Zone, for a 30-day furlough. He has been in Army service for the past three years.

MRS. COOPER
PARTY HONOREE

Mrs. Leon C. Cooper was honore at an evening party and shower arranged Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Neil McConlogue. A social evening was enjoyed and Mrs. Cooper twas presented with a handsome to gift from the group. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Fred Gahwolf of Redondo Beach, J. A. Eisenbrandt, L. Arnold, A. Woods and the Misses Mary

ENTERDAINS FOR DAUGHTERS HERE Mrs. B. C. Buxton was hostess when she entertained These day evening at, her new hold on El Prado hopering het daughters, Mrs. Stewart Grow of La Crescenta and Mrs. James H. Scott. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games and of La Crescenta and Mrs. Jame.

H. Scott. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games and Mrs. J. H. Burchett was presented with a prize for high score. Refreshments were served to Mmes. R. E. Satchell, Roland Sanderhoff, C. A. Curtiss, D. W. Quigley, J. H. Burchett, T. Babbitt and Paul. F. Vonderahe.

ENTERS U.C.L.A.

Miss Leah Bratton enro
U.C.L.A, this week for si

VISITING HERE
Mrs. Stewart Grow and daugher Sandy of La Crescenta arisiting at the E. C. Buxto ome this week.

JAMES R. PAXTON, U. S. NAVY . . . writes that he has recently been transferred to a Naval machinist's school at Wahpeton, N. D.

RALPH E. SATCHELL...
of 1303 Acacia ave., has enlisted in the Nayy as a machinist second class. He left
yesterday for San Diego where
he will be stationed tempor-

#### Home Recreation For Children Topic Of PTA. Meeting

Preceding the last meeting of the Fern Avenue P. T. A. Tuesday, members visited the class-froom of Mrs. Ruth Towner to witness a lesson in A-5 and B-6 music. The group then assembled in the auditorium for the business session and program.

Mrs. W. H. Toison reported on a recreation conference which she attended during the recent state convention at Long Beach. She said recreation leaders agree that the "youth problem is truly a parent problem." This summer when a great many of our parks and beaches will put be available to our children we must make ether provision for their entertainment. Back-yard parties planned and carried out by the youngsters themselves to entertain their young friends, croquet and ping pong matches offer some solution. She urged cooperation with established recreation departments.

Mrs. Cora Bohrer of the Torgane Referestion Cefter made.

during their summer vacation.

After a delightful group of songs by the Junior choir of Torrance high school, under direction of Mrs. Marjorie Cooke, officers for 1942-43 were in stalled Mrs. J. J. Millard, past president of Fern Avenue F. T. A. and president-elect of Lomitia-San Pedro Council, conducted the installation ceremony for Mrs. John Garner, president; Mrs. Geo. Crabtree, first vice-president; Mrs. Marrie Benson, third vice-president; Mrs. Marrie Benson, third vice-president; Mrs. L. F. Watson, secretary; Mrs. A. C. Turner, financial secretary; Mrs. A. C. Steele, treasurer; Mrs. D. A. Murphy, auditor, and Mrs. Leondrus Stamps, historian.

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Following adjournment, tea and cakes were served by Mrs. J. Foncannon and Mrs. G.

### **STORKatorials**

RETURN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Holme
eturned recently from Pitts
urg to their home at 163
brenshaw blvd. He has recently
een appointed as purchasin,
gent at Columbia Steel Com

#### Survivor of Destroyer Sinking Won't Talk

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Bill Stewart, Arrivy Air Corps cadet, and several other high school filends now in service to attend the all-city track meet at the Los Angeles Collesum. All had participated in track events and they got a big kick out of water the total service to the service to the total service. The only thing Stecker would say about the sinking of the Strirtevant was that the three explosions that ripped her innards: seint the destroyer down rast.

"The first blast knocked me out of my pants and shoes and the others came so fast I couldn't think. Then I found myself in the water and oil."

Guesses 3. Year War.

Stecker was serving as signalman on the bridge, receiving all

#### Methodists to Honor New Members at **Dinner Friday Night**

The Methodist church will hold its annual dinner Friday evening at 6 o'clock. Honor guests will be 60 persons who were received into membership during the past year. Greetings will be brought from each department and an adjourned quar-

le- in fact they don't know servlee uniforms apart there. Why,
I've had people ask-me on the
train if I was a soldier or a
Marine—and I was wearing my
Navy blues at the time.

"I don't know how long this
war is going to last but my
guess is about three years. It
might be shorter than that if
all the folks at home will back
us up with purchases of war
bonds, and now with getting in
the scrap rubber—we need a
lot of that rubber in the Navy,
I' can tell you," Lee Stecker
said.

terly conference will be held.
Rev. Harry Branton goes to
the Southern Callfornia Arizona
Conference next week at First
Methodist church, Los Angeles,
Mrs. Grace Hooper will represent this church as lay delegate and Guy Mowry as alternate.

HOME FROM VALLEJO
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Keifert
and sons Darrell and Carroll retunned Fielday from a trip to
Vallejo where Mr. Keifert attended to business matters. The
group also visited in San Franolson.

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