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Scout Court of Honor Friday In San Pedro

The Harbor District Boy Scout Court of Honor will be held Friday night, tomorrow, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Richard Dana junior high school, 15th st. and Cabrillo ave., San Pedro.

Eugene Morey, chairman of advancement for the district, said the court will end promptly at 9:30 p. m.

He said:
"There will be several awards made that have been delayed

for some time in the past."
"Urge all parents and friends of your unit to attend, as Mr. Schuck will be there and speak on the scouting program for youth of America and will award the Eagle badges.

"Our new scout executive will be there and will award the long-awaited banners for the Fifth War Loan.

"Let us make this an outstanding court of the Los An-

geles Council. The program is being handled by Sea Scout Ship 239-S. One of our own bay groups this is, so let each of us reward them by going ourselves with our unit and all our friends.

"There will be awards for Troops, Cubs and Senior Units. This will be a boys' Court of Honor."

OBITUARY**MEDORA PRIDE BULLARD**

Services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Gamby Chapel, Lomita, for Medora Pride Bullard, 85, who died Jan. 12 at her home at 25913 Oak st., Lomita. The Rev. John Orr officiated and burial was in Inglewood cemetery.

Mrs. Bullard leaves the widow, Levy; two sisters, Meta and Fanny Pirner; and a brother, Otto Pirner.

PHOEBE S. ARMSTRONG

Services were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Gamby chapel, Lomita, for Phoebe Sophia Armstrong, 80, of 24822 Oak st., Lomita, who died Jan. 12. Burial was in Inglewood cemetery.

Mrs. Armstrong had lived in Lomita six years and leaves a son, H. E. Armstrong; three daughters, Mesdames Alice Besske, Laura Bathrick and Bertha Comstock; 21 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

FRANCES ORA RICHARDSON

Services were held at 11 a. m. Tuesday at Gamby chapel in Lomita for Frances Ora Richardson, 23-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orle E. Richardson of 20519 N. Royal blvd., Torrance, who died Jan. 13. The Rev. John Orr officiated. The baby also leaves a brother, Earl, 11, and a sister, Margaret.

FRED HUMPHRIES

Fred Humphries, 64, died Sunday at the naval hospital in Long Beach. A native of Kansas, Mr. Humphries had lived for several years with his daughter, Mrs. Anna Crawford, of 25935 Cypress ave., Lomita. His wife passed away in 1942. He was a retired United States customs officer, veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Services were held at the Cleveland mortuary, 550 Fourth st., San Pedro, Wednesday, Jan. 17, at 2:00 p. m., with the Rev. Chas. Swift of Wilmington in charge. Soloist was Mrs. Olive Bordner. Burial was in Roosevelt Memorial Park cemetery.

Besides the daughter he leaves a brother, Ethie Humphries, of Kansas; and three grandchildren, Virginia, Fred and Jeanette Crawford of Lomita.

PAUL JOHN DUEKER

Paul John Dueker, 528 W. 104th st., died at noon Jan. 14, at his home. He was born April 24, 1884 in Illinois, and was an oil tool manufacturer. Surviving are a brother, Otto Dueker, St. Louis; two nieces, Miss Ruth

Torrance Area Welfare Council Is Reorganized

Completing its organization plans, the Torrance Area Welfare Council last Thursday appointed committees which include many prominent Torrance citizens, announces Hillman R. Lee, chairman.

A new committee on social legislation will be headed by Bernhard Strand, principal of Torrance elementary school. This group will study measures pertaining to family and child welfare as they are presented to the state legislature and to congress, and will make recommendations for endorsement to the local council.

Membership questions will be handled by a committee headed by Mr. Kenneth Beight, with Mrs. Edna Smith representing Lomita.

A committee to work with M. J. Zamorano, manager of Luma park trailer camp, of problems of recreation, will be directed by C. Z. Ward.

In addition to the Torrance members, there were present at the meeting three Lomita representatives, Mrs. Linden Johnson, Dr. Etta Woods and Father Thomas Barry, and also Father Cyril Wood, as chairman of the committee on recreational plans for the Pueblo.

Franchise Tax Examiners Here On Feb. 23-24

Examiners from the office of the Franchise Tax Commissioner of California will be in Torrance, at the offices of the Chamber of Commerce, on Feb. 23 and 24, according to word received by Harry B. Lewis, executive secretary of the chamber. The examiners will be provided with desk space, tables, chairs and other equipment.

Dueker and Miss Lois Dueker, both of Los Angeles, and a nephew, Arnold Dueker. Services will be conducted from Stone & Myers chapel at 2 p. m. today with the Rev. H. Wesley Roloff officiating. Interment will be in Pacific Crest cemetery.

DEATHS

Eulogio Luna, 65, 21745 Marlin, Torrance.

Townsend Club No. 1

By LOTTIE WADE

Torrance Townsend Club No. 1 will hold its regular semi-monthly social night on Jan. 19. There will be the usual games, refreshments and dancing with prizes for high scores, also a door prize. The party held on Jan. 12 for the celebration of Dr. Townsend's birthday which occurred on Jan. 13 was attended by a large crowd.

Because of the serious illness of Mrs. Sellers, the president, Mr. Sellers could not be present. They both are greatly missed and everyone sincerely hopes for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Anna Hight assisted Mr. Buckley with the music. Mr. and Mrs. Attebery also helped.

Much of the success was due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Newell who always procures and serves the fine refreshments which on this occasion consisted of potato salad, crackers, coffee and a fine birthday cake appropriately decorated and lettered. A collection for flowers to be sent to Mrs. Sellers as a tribute of love and respect was generously contributed to by members and friends.

Student Body Election Held At High School

Richard Honrath is the new student body president at Torrance high school, defeating Werner Sommer in runoff Tuesday following the primary election of last Thursday.

In another runoff, Jane Ritchie won over Shirley Thompson for secretary, and Barbara Tossas defeated Juanita Quick for commissioner of advertisement. Joan Mumford was chosen second vice president.

The other new student body officers are: vice president, Ralph Pegors; boys' self government president, Frank Dominguez; girls' self government president, Eunice Abramson; commissioner of safety, Bill Stanley; commissioner of finance, Myrna Fossum; commissioner of athletics, Gerald Godard; commissioner of group control, Gerry Faren; commissioner of entertainment, Jerry Weeks; commissioner of halls and bounds, Lucille Smith.

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