

Hello, Friends:

May we add our wish for your Happy Yuletide Season and Future Prosperity? May we also express our sincere grati-tude for acceptance of our new store? We hope to see you early in 1947.

Bud & Micky Reed, Operators of

REED'S POLAR KITCHEN



WISHING YOU A **Merry Christmas**

Much as we would like to pay Christmas call to each and every o

Open Christmas Day

TORRANCE FLOWER SHOP

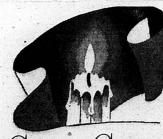
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The only thing that counts with us is your friendship and good will. We hope that we have merited it . . . and we ire you of our intention to justify a continuation of your loyalty in 1947.

J. LEPKIN

Merchant Tailor 1314 SARTORI - TORRANCE



Each passing year brings greater pride in the friendly contacts and pleasant relations we enjoy during the course of business. That is why. it is a pleasure at this holiday time to express to you our appreciation as we wish our friends all the happiness of Christmas and a prosperous, successful New Year.





Cuddle toys by the thousand, undreds of "finger puppets," Installation Rites ties in all of the schools.

ties in all of the schools, with trees, in many cases, bearing gifts for every child.

Because they have helped to make a Merry Christmas for so many others, Tenth District P.
T.A., its councils, unit associations and members will this year find Christmas a decoly happy find Christmas a deeply happy

find Christmas a deeply happy experience.

In the first place, twenty-one "adopted" schools—the largest number in years—are now receiving regular and generous monthly checks from more privileged parent-teacher groups.

"In addition to this," says Mrs. W. A. Myers, Tenth District's child welfare manager, "a total of \$801.00 has this year been sent to underprivileged schools by other schools for Christmas. Further checks to the amount of \$390.00 have come into the district for other Christmas welfare. Besides, unit associations and councils have been so thoughtful in their staging of Christmas partiees for child-ren, that it is believed no school, underprivileged or otherwise, has been neglected.

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TORRANCE HERALD PTA BRINGS HAPPINESS Methodist Women

Installation of officers marked the December meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held Thursday at the

Service held Thursday at the church.

Rev. Clyde E. Ruckman, in an impressive ceremony, inducted the following officers who will serve during the ensuing year:

Mmes. A. E. Palmer, president; Grover C. VanDeventer, vice president; W. H. Sinclair, recording secretary; I. Goss, promotional secretary; W. W. Buchanan, treasurer; C. E. Ruckman, spiritual life; G. Suillvan, children's work; W. Ambill, supplies; H. Hutchison, Christian social relations; Marie Shananan, literature and publications; Grace Hooper, membership; Rufus Sandstrom, publicity, and W. F. Bartholomew, fellowship, Members of the executive board were hostesses at the social hour following.

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At the tea table, festive with cotoneaster berries, lighted candles and the gleaming silver service. Mesdames K at herine VanDeventer in charge of ar-rangements, was followed by Rev. C. E. Ruckman, on "The Christmas Story."

dent was then presented with a

A decorated tree and gifts for patients of C2 ward at L. A. County Harbor General hospital have been provided by the organization with Mrs. Katherine Mowry and Mrs. Grace Hooper as the organization's hospital chairmen, in charge of arrangements.

READ THIS, MEN

Couvade, an ancient classical custom, required a father to retire to bed and fast or abstain from certain kinds of food, at the time of his wife's confinement, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. The custom probably arose from the father's desire to emphasize his bond with his child.

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Greeting from this friendly

SHOE STORE

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MERRY CHRISTMAS



MODE O'DAY

GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

all have a very Joyous, Peaceful and Merry celebrating the 1946th anniversary of the birth of Jesus, the Savior and Christ, who gave His life and now lives that all hu-



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Womens Activities

njoyable Evening

s Reported By Former Nova Scotians

Among the enjoyable pre-holi day affairs for former residents of Nova Scotla was the annua banquet of the Maritime Pro vince Association and the Nova Scotla Society held at Rosslyr hotel, Los Angeles on Saturday

By MARY VONDERAHE



ENGAGED . . Miss Eileen Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin I. Smith, whose en-gagement to Mr. Albert R. Widner Jr. of Lomits has been announced. The wedding will

Fern Avenue PTA. Reports Interesting Monthly Meeting

in sidious propaganda when might tend to disrupt this relationship.

Group singing of Christmas carols and patrictic songs, lead by Fred McVuarrie and William Micheau, with Mrs. John V. Murray at the piano, added an enjoyable note to the occasion.

A splendid program of vocal and instrumental music, presented by Mrs. Murray and Fred McQuarrie, featured the following artists: Bessie Fortune Hendry, contralto soloist of concert, radio and stage fame, resident of Pasadena and formerly of Dundee, Scotland, accompanied by Mrs. C. V. Foster of Altadena; John Hertert, baritone soloist of Los Angeles: Frances Forester, violinist, and Yolanda Goldsmith, child entertainer, both of Torrance. monthly meeting on Wednesda Dec. 11 at 2 o'clock in th



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vell known Beautitian, is associated with her. merly with Alice's Beauty

\$1.50 to \$1.75 \$2.00 to \$2.25 g, Henna Packs.

Emma Roberts

By PTA Women
To benefit schools who do not
have Parent Teachers Associations, Gateway, Lomita-San Ped
ro and Garden a-Wilmingtor
Councils, combined finances and tions, Gateway, Lomita-San Fedro and Garden a-Wilmington
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time recently in a Christmas
treat for the Meyler Street and
Torrance Development schools.
Mesdames Victor Christiansen,
Kenneth Haar and John Garner
took games of permanent value
to Torrance, and were guests at
Meyler Street for the school
program and later provided a
Christmas treat for the children.
Recently, Mesdames J. S. Dresser, John Garner and Charles
Compton of Gateway, LomitaSan Pedro and Gardena-Wilmington Councils were guests of Mrs.
Glen W. Walton of Westwood
Hills Council for the regular
council president and Christmas
gift exchange.

Development Schools Aided

Warships were not classified to carry out particular functions in battles until the second half of the 17th century, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. Before that time naval ships of all types and sizes took part in the action at the same time indiscriminately or when the most



Our greeting to you is short, simple but

Merryy Christmas— Happy New Year. MULLIN'S SERVICE STATEMENT OF TOTAL CONTROL OF TOTAL

MERRY **CHRISTMAS FOLKS!**

-DON'T FORGET THAT WE WILL BE CLOSED 24 HOURS CHRISTMAS DAY

GUESTS of HONOR

—for the following week are:

THURSDAY, DEC. 26 Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hamilton, 1520 W. 203rd St.

FRIDAY, DEC. 27
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forester, 1416 Fern Ave. SATURDAY, DEC. 28
Mr. and Mrs. William C. George, 704 Madrid Ave.

SUNDAY, DEC. 29 Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Shepherd, 2233 W. 229th St.

DAY, DEC. 30 Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Shaner, 1622 Crenshaw Blvd.

TUESDAY, DEC. 31 Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Patton, 2232 Sepulveda Blvd. WEDNESDAY, JAN. I Rev. and Mrs. Paul H. Perry, 2240 Cabrillo Ave.

You Folks Please Come In-DINNER IS ON THE HOUSE! JUST IDENTIFY YOURSELFI

Eat with Charlie at

Daniels Cafe

1625 Cabrillo - Totrance

Look for Your Name Next Week! We Never Close!



To Our Friends

Our Wish for You!

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

WE WILL BE OPEN CHRISTMAS EVE to 8 P.M.

> AND ALL DAY CHRISTMAS

Torrance's Popular Liquor Stores .



Bottle Shop

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