

## National NBPW Officer To Address Board Meet

Oliver H. Huston of New York, executive director of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will speak before the Board of Directors of the California Federation at its meeting in Sonoma Mission Inn, Boyes Hot Springs, January 7 and 8. Tentative program for the session has been released by Mrs. David E. Fulwider of Hollywood, president of the state organization.

Miss Huston is coming to California in connection with arrangements for the Biennial of

will make recommendations for further work on this activity.

The Sunday luncheon program will present material on the United Nations for local club discussion. Miss Lily O. Hawkins of Los Angeles, United Nations consultant for the state federation, will conduct the program. Miss Diwata J. Aldaba, now at the University of California in Berkeley on the California Federation's Philippine Scholarship, will tell of her observations last August at the United Nations headquarters in New York.

Mrs. Eunice C. Hennessy of San Francisco, national contact chairman, and Miss Laura Lorraine of Sebastopol, state coordinator for the Biennial, will outline Biennial plans.

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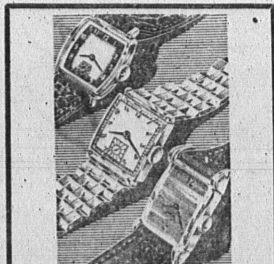
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SEATED IN IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY... Torrance Bethel 50, International Order of Job's Daughters, installed officers Saturday evening in Masonic Temple. In the foreground, left to right, are: William Bremner, associate guardian; Marian McDonald, guide; Beverly Luster, senior princess; Joy Oursler, retiring queen; Pat Clere, honored queen; Darlene Dance, Jewel bearer; Donna Wolf, junior princess; Mary Ann Lenton,

## IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES SEAT PAT CLERE, STAFF

Pat Clere was installed as honored queen of Torrance Bethel 50, International Order of Job's Daughters, in a colorful and impressive ceremony Saturday evening in Torrance Masonic Temple.

The ceremony was initiated by an address of welcome by Ernest Mosher, as master of ceremonies. His address was followed by the entrance of Mrs. Ruby Clere, junior past guardian and William Bremner, associate

bethel guardian. Miss Joy Oursler, retiring honored queen, was escorted into the Bethel and acted as installing officer. She was assisted by Misses Joann Sandstrom, Marlene Quaggin, Mary Ellen Crawford, Dorothy Warning, Mary Schultz, and Wilma Jean McBride. Mrs. Juliette Johnson was installing musician for the evening.

Mary Ellen Crawford carried the Holy Bible and Marlene Quaggin escorted the flag during the preliminary ceremony.

Rev. Cecil J. England, pastor of First Christian Church, gave the invocation after the entrance of the officers and Bethel choir.

This was followed by the installation of Pat Clere, honored queen. She was escorted to the East by the retiring queen, Joy

Oursler, who presented her with the queen's jewel, Miss Oursler then installed the following officers:

Beverly Luster, senior princess; Donna Wolf, junior princess; Marian McDonald, guide; Mary Ann Lenton, marshal; Mary Lou Hovlid, chaplain; Ann Olson, recorder; Carol Campbell, musician; Jane Fischer, librarian; Martha Dunn, senior custodian; Janet Poh, junior custodian; June Rambo, outer guard; Luana Johnson, inner guard; Sydney Young, Ann Stephens, Beverly Rodgers, Dora Ritko and Janice Crabtree, messengers; and the Bethel choir members: Doris Metzener, Diane Allen, Jane Moffatt, Faye Gossett, Charlene Grace, Eva Morang, Lou McFarland and Donna Howell.

Ushers for the installation were Fred Lincoln Jr., and Bob Chambers.

The ceremony was made more beautiful and impressive by the rendition of "The Beatitudes" and "The Holy City" sung by Dean Louges.

Darlene Dance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Dance of Los Angeles and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Lincoln, acted as jewel bearer and escorted the honored queen's

marshal; and Ruby Clere, junior past guardian. Second row, left to right: Janet Poh, Faye Gossett, June Rambo, Sydney Young, Beverly Rodgers, Carol Campbell, Dora Ritko, Diane Allen and Eva Morang. Third row: Donna Howell, Jane Moffatt, Luana Johnson, Ann Olson, Janice Crabtree, Martha Dunn, Ann Bishop, Jane Fischer, Ann Stephens, Lou McFarland, and Doris Metzener.

jewel to the East for presentation.

Estill Clere made the presentation of the gavel to the honored queen.

At the conclusion of the installation, a reception was held in the temple banquet room, which had been beautifully decorated for the occasion in the Christmas theme.

## H. C. Pupils, PTA, Enjoy Yule Party

The annual Christmas party for students of Harbor City School and the Harbor City PTA meeting were combined Thursday night with more than 400 in attendance.

Mrs. Herman Ludwig welcomed the large audience and Mr. J. R. Bloomer led the group in the pledge of allegiance and J. Winston Scott, school principal, read the Bill of Rights, as the inspirational message.

An inspiring Christmas program in tableau, singing and pageantry was presented by the school children and Room Mothers were in charge of distributing popcorn balls to all the children.

Fifth Grade mothers were in charge of the refreshments for adults. Cookies were served with coffee from a table beautifully decorated in poinsettias.

## Election Held at Luncheon

Members of Victory Circle of First Lutheran Church were delightfully entertained at a Christmas party and luncheon held Tuesday afternoon in the attractive patio of Mrs. George A. Evans' Portola avenue home. Assisting Mrs. Evans as cohostess was Mrs. Clara Conner. Rev. Paul Wenske, Lutheran pastor, a special guest, offered the prayer and brought a Christmas message to the ladies.

Cotoneaster berries centered the tables which were covered with decorative Christmas cloths. Turkey and all the trimmings were served following an exchange of gifts.

Election of officers was the principal business transacted at the session conducted by Mrs. Petrina Shelton. Respected to serve during 1950 were: Mrs. Shelton, president; Mrs. Conner, vice-president and Mrs. Geneva Nelson, secretary. Mrs. Evans was elected to the office of treasurer.

## Nutcracker Suite Given by Students

The Christmas fantasy from the Nutcracker Suite was presented in dances by children of the classrooms of Mrs. Mildred Reed and Mrs. Mabel Rowley of Lomita Elementary School when the Lomita PTA held their Christmas meeting in the new school auditorium Thursday night.

A chorus, with Mrs. Carol Brigham directing, accompanied by Mrs. Marjorie Wilcox, sang the lovely Christmas songs as a climax to the program.

Mrs. Jane Ryan, principal, greeted the parents and friends of the school and Mrs. Joe Stahl, PTA president, who presided, displayed a Swiss movement music box purchased by the PTA, to be used as an attendance prize for the various classrooms. The children of Mrs. Mabel Rowley's classroom of B2 and A2 children were awarded the coveted prize following the meeting.

Table decorations were attractively arranged by Mrs. N. H. Kuykendall and refreshments of decorated cup cakes were served with coffee with Mrs. Delbert Latham in charge.

## Gramercy--- Many Thanks

Gramercy is really not just a phone exchange—it's an old French phrase meaning many thanks. It used to be used a lot in bygone days, but of late it has been overlooked.

Saying thank you—and writing thank you notes—is a nice habit every teenager should practice, says the department of the Woman's Home Companion.

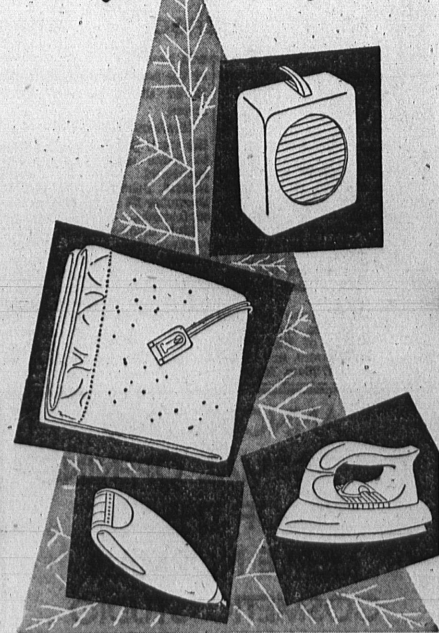
Courtesy helps make life smoother. Say thanks for big or small favors, whether someone's held a door open for you, given you a party, a present, or carried your books.

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## Season's Greetings

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