

Kettler Kapers

By VIRGINIA JONES
TOMORROW IS THE BIG day! The line forms to the right at the Torrance Civic Auditorium, where the Red Cross Blood Mobile will be ready to accept blood donors from 8 to 7 p.m. Try to make it, folks, and remember, you are saving someone's life!

AFTER SPENDING FIVE months in active combat in Korea, T/Sgt. Clyde Edwin Middleton, U. S. Marine Corps, is home on 30-day leave, pleasantly surprising his mother, Mrs. Lillian Middleton, last Saturday. A big rousing cheer for "Eddie," who really spent a rough time over there! Justly proud of their brother are Betty and Larry, who reside with their mother at 2104 Middlebrook road.

MRS. JANE LOCKETT of 1723 235th street, honored her small daughter Sharon with a party on her third birthday last Tuesday. A pink and yellow color theme was carried out for the party and ice cream, cake and candy were eagerly devoured by playmates of Sha-

ron's following the children's games. At the party were Susan Wise, Dennis Moore, David and Steven Bottroff, Janene and Gary Lockett, Steven and Jamie Grant, Cleone McCumbers, all of Kettler Knolls and Dickie and Dennis Pratt from Lomita. Sharon's grandmother, Mrs. Betty Trampus of Lomita, assisted with the party.

AN EASTERN VISITOR is in our midst and is thoroughly enjoying California so much she'd like to stay here. From Barro, Vt., is Mrs. Mary Caranchini who is spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Vay Minor, son-in-law Don and granddaughter Judy, 2036 Kathy way.

BIG NEWS IN THE WIMMELL household these days is the announcement that their first child was born the day before Thanksgiving and a handsome boy it is! Robert Alan made his debut at Torrance Memorial Hospital weighing 7 pounds 6 ounces, with Dr. E. Grubbs, their neighbor, in attendance. Proud parents Al and Leona and their new baby are at home, 23304 Falena avenue, receiving

guests. It is the first grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Yort, Leona's parents, who had arrived here from Indiana the Sunday previous, especially for this big occasion. Congratulations!

THERE'S A NEW "COOKIE" at 2822 Gramercy avenue in the person of baby Terry Dean, who was born last Saturday at Torrance Memorial Hospital weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Cook, have two other children, son Tommy 13 years old and daughter Judy, 11 years old. Congratulations to the Cooks!

Jimmy Cole, president of Kettler Home Owners Association urges Kettlerites to attend the program at Torrance High School auditorium next Tuesday evening at 7:30 when Dr. Harvard Lane will discuss "Modern Methods of Education."

Residents of Tracts 4 and 5 are advised that Melvin Miller and Robert Carlson will write refund checks on the street light fund, and hope to find interested persons at home Sunday, when they will make personal calls to complete the transaction. December 1 is the last date for those who still wish to come into the lighting group, they announce.

Professional Women Plan Meeting 4th

Next regular business meeting of the National Business and Professional Women's Club of Torrance will be held at 7:30 o'clock, Monday, December 4. All members are urged to be present.

The club's annual Thanksgiving dinner, served in the appropriately decorated patio of Mrs. Roberts' home, was enjoyed by approximately 40 members. Hostesses were Mesdames Emma Roberts and Arvilla Owens, assisted by Misses Blanche Bowman and Hilda Munroe. A special guest was Mrs. Ivy A. Grace, second vice president of the California Federation, who spoke briefly on federation matters.

The Los Angeles District meeting will be held Saturday, December 2, in the Alexandria Hotel. Reservations should be made with Miss Verna Porter, president of the local club, according to Helen Williams, news service chairman.

Family Group Entertains Chicagoans

The Greenwood avenue home of Mrs. D. A. Murphy was the setting for a family reunion Thanksgiving Day when they entertained, honoring her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stasik Jr., of Chicago.

Included among the guests were the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Schmidt of North Hollywood; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, Hollywood; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schmidt, Glendale; Mr. and Mrs. James Almon and family, Burbank; Al Schmidt, North Hollywood; Mrs. Kay Lisman, Los Angeles; the hosts, and their sons, Jim and Pat.

Miniature turkey figurines, ducks, and yellow chrysanthemums and candles created an attractive centerpiece and each lady was presented with an orchid and gardenia corsage.

Outdoor ping-pong, darts, and amateur motion pictures occupied the group following dinner.

VACATION ENDS

Miss Frances Barrington, a senior at Mills College, returned to school by plane Sunday night following Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrington.

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