

Girl Scouts Cookie Sale Success Told

Complimenting members of Girl Scout Troop 184 for their success in selling 336 boxes of cookies in the annual drive, Mrs. C. Chapman, cookie chairman, entertained. Carol Crist, who sold 61 boxes, and Wilma Camp, 54, were recipients of special gifts. Cup cakes and chocolate milk were the chairman's treat to the girls. Troop members recently enjoyed an ice skating trip to the rink at Paramount.

PROMINENT TORRANCITES AVOW YW APPRECIATION

"What YWCA Means to Me," was explained today in testimonials by prominent Torrancia women, as follows: MRS. LEE A. McCOY

"Membership in the Torrancia YWCA is membership in a going, growing concern. Completion of the new building, now being erected, will greatly increase the possible services of the 'Y' here. It will mean drop-in privileges in an attractive lounge; it will mean party space to supplement the small living rooms in most of our homes; a day off for young mothers; a get-together for young working girls; increased opportunities for teen-age club members; discussions shared in by people of all religious faiths on ways to work together on our Christian purpose; and whatever other groups or classes the members desire. I am glad that with my membership I can help hasten that day."

MRS. JOANNA GARVER—Girls' Counselor, Torrancia High School. "In high schools throughout the nation the Y-Teen program is a major force in developing incentive to good citizenship and leadership qualities and special abilities of our teen-age girls. Perhaps the largest girls' high school organization working definitely for Christian ideals and standards of world brotherhood, I welcome the Y-Teen program into the high school as a strong incentive to good citizenship and fullest living for our girls. I will always be glad to be a member of the YWCA and to support this service as much as I possibly can."

MRS. JOHN STEINBAUGH "In the short time that my daughter has been in the Y-Teens she has already gained some valuable experience. The officers' training course and the weekly association with the fine adult adviser, Mrs. Hitchcock, are greatly appreciated and enjoyed."

by the girls. Satisfactory group experience and satisfactory relationships with adults outside the home and school are important to teen-age girls. I am glad if my membership in the YWCA helps to strengthen and extend this fine program."

MRS. JACKSON MOORE "The ultimate purpose of educating our children is to enable them to live happily with others. The YWCA extends a friendly hand to every girl, regardless of race, religion, social or economic status and, in doing so, offers a tangible opportunity for achieving this purpose."

MRS. B. T. WHITNEY "It is so important to have a center where young people can meet and carry on their activities in a Christian atmosphere. I am proud to be a member of this organization and hope that many other women in our community will support the YWCA with their membership."

MRS. CARL FORKUM "As a mother of two small daughters, I feel the YWCA and its activities give me an opportunity to become familiar with the best methods of helping them grow into strong and happy adults."

Among the persons who have joined the YWCA very recently are the following: Mrs. J. M. Stuart, Mrs. Joe Arnold, Mrs. Grace Holmes, Mrs. George Hoffhaus, Mrs. Joe Rowe, Mrs. R. M. Norris, Mrs. Virginia Jones, Mrs. Myra Snow, Mrs. Pauline Smart, Mrs. W. W. Scheese and Mrs. Vida May Kane, Mrs. Harry Fralich, Mrs. Rufus Sandstrom, Mrs. John Shellman, Mrs. Jessie Lyon, Mrs. Anna Colwood, and Mrs. Mariette King. Credit for recruiting Mmes. Bellwood and King goes to Y member Mrs. Lela Smith. Mrs. Schneese is the new advisor of the Y-Debonnaires.



STATE OFFICERS VISIT. Recent distinguished guests of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America were, (left) Mrs. Arthur Messerschmitt, of Long Beach, State vice regent, as she was greeted by the hostess grand regent, Mrs. J. J. MacDonald, and Mrs. Timothy Maloney of San Francisco, state regent, who accompanied her. (Herald photo).

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Mrs. Derpuin Recipient Of PTA Membership Award

By MAGDALENE HINDS
The Fern Avenue P.T.A. Founders' Day meeting was held in the Kindergarten at Fern Avenue School with Mrs. G. J. Derpuin presiding. Honor guests at the meeting were Past-presidents Mrs. J. J. Millard, Mrs. W. J. Bowers, Mrs. V. T. Vanderpool and Mrs. A. C. Turner, of the Torrancia P.T.A. Council. They were presented with corsages by Mrs. W. C. Higdon.

The initial appearance of the boys' choral group, under the direction of Mr. Lloyd Jones, was postponed due to illness in the group. A special music program was presented by Miss Meryl Anderson with Risa Schover, Nellie Mosely, Yolande Goldsmith, Linda Thistle, Sandra Gish and Patty Dunmyer participating.

Mrs. Derpuin introduced Mr. R. S. Ellerman, recently appointed Vice-Principal. He expressed pleasure at being on the administration staff at Fern Avenue.

The recipient of this year's life membership award was Mrs. G. J. Derpuin, who is completing her second term as president. Mrs. J. R. Patrick made the presentation. A nominating committee of five members was selected. Those serving on the committee are Mrs. J. R. Patrick, chairman, Miss Cathryn Chisholm, Mrs. V. T. Vanderpool, Mrs. P. W. Johnson and Mrs. J. L. Hinds.

Mrs. Grace Wright, Board of Education member, was guest speaker. She reported on the building program and stated that the Board hoped to have four new schools completed by next September. In closing her talk she invited all parents to attend the meetings of the Board of Education.

Refreshments were served after the meeting by the fourth grade room mothers.

Walteria PTA Elects New Officers

Election of officers featured the March meeting of Walteria PTA Thursday evening which was presided over by Mrs. R. T. McNulty. Named to serve the association as president during 1951-52 was Mrs. Glen Hardcastle and assisting her will be Mrs. Bruce Howey, and the principal, D. B. Kirks, vice-presidents; Mmes. Carl Cramer, recording secretary; C. W. Johnson, financial secretary; Harry Karlson, treasurer; Arthur Wild, auditor; Evar Jansson, historian.

Mrs. Evar Jansson, program chairman, presented Ora Nell Rainwater, who played a group of piano numbers; and Lorraine Stiesel and Pat Munyer, who sang. Highlight of the evening was a demonstration of flower arrangements by Mrs. Aubrey L. McNeil, South Bay florist, and garden club consultant, who was assisted by Mrs. R. Ryan.

Third grade room mothers were hostesses at the social hour.

Society is built upon trust, and trust upon confidence in one another's integrity.—South

Varied Activities Occupy American Legion Auxiliary

Community service will be observed during this month by the auxiliary of Bert S. Crossland American Legion Post. Plans will be announced at the business meeting Tuesday evening in the clubhouse.

Hostesses for the monthly card party on February 27 were Roxie Sleeth, and Alma Smith.

Mrs. Sleeth opened her Post avenue home for a recent Past Presidents Party.

A delicious dessert was served to Persia Fess, chairman; Roxie Sleeth, secretary, Corlisa Reeve, Mabel Williams, Ella Robinson, Mary Babcock, Fan Wilkes, Mary Toombs, Olivia Lee, Alma Smith and the unit president, Annie Olson.

Representing the auxiliary at the 19th District meeting in San

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hudson of 1016 Crenshaw boulevard have been entertaining at their house guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Roberts of Salem, Ind.

The Robertses also visited her sisters, Mmes. Marian Willerson and Allene Hall, both of Harbor City, and Mrs. Bess Fuller of Torrancia.

Persia Fess, and Velora Murphy.

Following a parliamentary law class, a covered dish luncheon was served to members and their husbands. Among the hostesses were Mmes. Fess and Murphy. An interesting talk given by Mrs. Murphy demonstrated the proper way to honor American flag.

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