## Inspirational Presidents' Reports Spark PTA Council's Annual Meeting Friday

PTA Council

Closes Year

"Roads to the Future" was the theme for the fourth annual breakfast of Torrance Council PTA held Friday in Woman's

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CLUB OFFICERS ARE SEATED . . . Installed yesterday atternoon in a beautiful floral setting in the clubhouse were the officers who will serve Torrance Woman's Club next year, In the foreground, seated, left to right arc, Mrs. Lee A. McCoy, special events chairman; Mrs. B. W. Roberts, presi-dent; Mrs. S. V. Rauss, past president, installing officer; Mrs. B. T. Whitney, retiring president, parliamentarian; Mrs. C. L. Snodgrass, ways and means chairman, first row; Mrs.

MISS PLOEHN TO JOIN

**RANKS OF JUNE BRIDES** 

C. P. Olson, federation secretary; Mrs. J. E. Stavert, auditor; Mrs. M. N. Felker, recording secretary; Mrs. W. I. Laughon, past president; Mrs. Raymond Rogers, treasurer; Mrs. H. W. Irwin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frances Hunn, year book; last row, Mrs. A. F. R. Ewall, second vice-president; Mrs. Gilbert J. Derouin, first vice-president; Mrs. D. J. Thom-sen, reservations chairman. (Herald photo). (Herald photo)

**KESSON-WHALEN NAMES** LINKED IN BETHROTHAL

Miss Betty Ploehn, who re-sides with her guardians, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ander-son at 3235 W. 1871 histeet, announces her engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Verlin Redman of this city and formerly of Inde-pendence, Kansas.

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pendence, Kansas. The bride-elect is a daugh-ter of Mr. Robert Ploehn of Mediord, Oregon, a veteran of World War I who is hos-pitalized at Camp White in that city. She received her early education in Seattle schools. Blount Home Is Setting For Luncheon



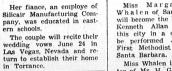
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LIINKED IIN DE Miss Margaret Jean while come the bride of Mr. Kenneth Allan Kesson dy this city in a ceremony to performed June 30 in first Methodist Church of June 30 in first Methodist Church of June 30 in first Methodist Church of June 30 in Statu Barbara and Mrs. Wr. R. Dugan of Ventura. Her fance's parents are Mr. and Mr. K. Kesson of 1810 Wathow Street. The bride-elect received Barbara Schools and on Aug garbar 31 will graduate from Ark Resson, Torrance High School graduate. is a stud-fornia tu University of Cal. They plan to Ive in the northern city.

Mrs. Willis G. Blount was a gracious hostoss when she entertained at an attractive-ly appointed buffet luncheon Thursday in her home, 17036 Wilkie avenue. Roses and gladiolus from her garden created an ef-fective party hackground and places were arranged for Mesdames Bob L. Hag-gard, Géorge Stevens, Har-vey B. Spelman, Paul Rect-tger, James M. Hall, Ed Kar-low, Kenneth Odel, Harry Schindele, F. Fagnanon all of Torrance: John Morrision, L. Peterson, Hawthorne: and Warren Godske, of Los An-geles. Mari Jo Lee's Troth Revealed in Las Vegas

A betrothal just revealed in Las Vegas is of wide interest to this community. Mr. and Mrs. Hillman R. Lee, former Torrance residents, have formally announced the engagement of their daughter Mari Jo to Mr. Richard Terence Arbenz, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Arbenz of Bellflower. Miss Lee received her early education in Torrance schools and is in her junior year at Chapman College. Los Angeles, where she is an education major. She is a member of Cardinal Keys and the Sponsors, honor societies for sophomore and junior women, and is dormitory president this year. Her bridegroom-to-be was graduated from high school In Bellflower and attended Fullerton Junior College and at Chapman is majoring in business administration. He is affiliated with Phi-Alpha Chi.

Mina Chi, Wedding plans are being made for next winter following Mari Jo's graduation from Chapman.

Bethel Mothers Set Plans MARK ANNIVERSARY Mrs, Robert Lenton will open her home at 1447 W. 220th street Wednesday, June 13 for a meeting of Bethel 50, Job's Daughter's Mothers Club, Mrs. Earl Wells will assist as co-hostess. On the agenda will be a discussion of plans for sum-mer camp at Crestline.

WW Auxiliary to Post 3251 will meet Tuesday. June 3261 will meet Tuesday. June 328 will be a set of the set of the 328 will be a set of the set of the 328 will be a set of the set of the 328 will be a set of the 328 will There is no poverty where there is virtue, no riches where virtue is not. Chinese proverb.

(Herald photo)

# Mayor Bob L. Haggard and other special guests were intro-duced by Mrs. Turner before she requested the reading of the prosidents' inspirational annual teports, Mrs. J. J. Popovich's historian's report of the Council also was enthusiastically receiv-ed.

Fifteen

er. Program features included duo piano numbers by Mickey Van-Deventer and Judy Yeltema, pu-pils of Kathryne F. Buffington; a humorous vocal trio by Miss Doris Kent, Mmes. H. Hardesty and Lavona McKeivey, all of North Torrance PTA. A skit by Perry Association and vocal so-los by Mrs. Irene Roberts of Seaside unit completed the en-joyable entertainment. Mrs. A. B. Cowle and her staff, who will serve the Coun-cil next year, were installed by Mrs. C. F. Rees, vice-president of First District PTA. In tribute to Mrs. Inreer for her spiendid leadership during the past two years, the Coun-cil presented her with a hand-some gift of matched luggage. Program features included duo



TORRANCE COUNCIL PTA . . . in a beautiful ceremony Friday Installed the officers who will serve during the ensuing year. Left to right are Mrs. A. B. Cowie, president; Mrs. A. C. Turner, past president and Mrs. C. F. Rees, First District vice president, installing officer. (Herald photo)

#### Guild Enjoys Evening Fete

Members of St. Cecilia's Guild of St. Andrew's Epis-copal Church recently en-joyed a fish fry in the love-ly garden of Mrs. Willis M. Brocks' home on Portola avenue, Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Ralph Davis were hos-tesses for the evening, as-sisted by Mrs. William Mont-gomery and Mrs. Jackson S. Moore. Guests reluctantly broke

Guests reluctantly broke Guests reluctantly broke up the pleasant combina-tion of delicious food, the conversation of old friends, a merry fire in the fireplace and frogs piping in the lily pond to play bridge and canasta indoors. Winner at bridge was Sterleen Fanning and Addie Roberts at ca-nasta,

#### RED CROSS NEEDS MORE BED QUILTS

BEU QUILIS Mrs. Ruth Ruttan, production chairman of Torrance Branch American Red Cross, reports, that various groups are work-ing on quilts needed for stock-pling, in case of disaster. Groups or individuals are urged to phone her at Lomita 90J eve-rings only 15 they are antous to participate in this program. Not only is Mrs. Ruttan ac-tive in this work, but during the day is employed under the County Civilian Defense pro-gram as a First Ald instructor at Harbor General Hospital. T3:44 cross whose personnel instructs all county employees in First tal alone, 800 employees are be-ing trained.

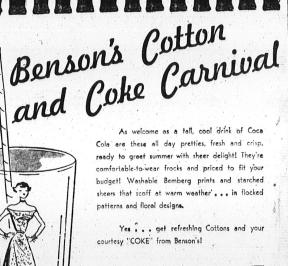
#### C. E. Guild to Meet for Luncheon

Members of Central Evan-gelical Guild will enjoy a pot luck luncheon at 12:30 June 13 in Guild Hall, Mar-celina at Arlington avenue. Mrs. N. D. Smith, who has been re-elected to serve next year, and her staff, as hos-tesses, will serve the dessert

A business meeting will

MARK ANNIVERSARY Mr. and Mrs. Chris Jones and daughter Mary of Martina street enjoyed Memorial Day at Knott's Berry Farm. The occasion mark-were guest last Sunday at din-were guest last Sunday at din-mer in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jones again mark-ing this event. Let none falter who thinks he is right --LINCOLN

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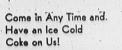
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