

Walteria News Notes

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Halloween is really in the air, and it won't be long before the "Trick or Treat" knock comes to the doors of our community. For special celebration this year be sure to take in the Halloween dance sponsored by the PTA and held this Saturday night at the recreation hall. Also remember the carnival, which has been planned for several months, at which both grownups and kiddies can really have a lot of fun.

Speaking of Halloween, the JFF Club held its annual Halloween party at the Walteria Recreation hall on Tuesday, October 16. The members who attended this affair and had fun doing so were Mrs. Carl Cramer, Mrs. Lorine Hartline, Mrs. Eva Kelley, Mrs. Luella Lassen, Mrs. Ann Laughridge, Mrs. Edith Buckingham, Mrs. Elsie Minor, Mrs. Barbara Taraldsen and Mrs. Helen Conze.

Walteria's Methodist Church Youth Fellowship is starting a paper drive to last until Christmas. At that time the papers and rags will be sold and all proceeds will be given as a Christmas present to the Methodist Community Church building fund. The enthusiastic young people are shooting for a goal of one hundred dollars. If you have papers or rags and would like to give them to these young people for their worthy cause, call Frontier 5-4050. The MYF will pick them up on Saturdays.

"Happy Birthday" was sung for David and Kurt Corey, Hawthorne boulevard, when a birthday party was given for them on Sunday, October 21. The theme of the party was, of course, Halloween. The birthdays celebrated were David's eighth and Kurt's fifth. The boys are cousins. Attending the event were Sonny Gore, Johnny Gore, Gerry Carrillo, William, Kent

Corey, Cathleen Corey and Anna Louise Corey. Congratulations, kids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mosley celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary on Thursday, October 18 by enjoying dinner at Bit O' Sweden and attending a theatre in Hollywood. May we add our congratulations for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Pendleton, Hawthorne boulevard, spent Sunday, October 21 at the home of their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson. The Watsons live in Hollywood.

Home for the weekend was George Imhoff, Ward street, when he came in to port for a short time. George is on a James Lick cargo ship.

The Pandora Club will hold its installation program next Thursday at the recreation hall.

The WSCS held an installation of officers, 17 in number, on Thursday October 18. Guest speaker was Mrs. Correll of Long Beach. The women of the WSCS, Torrance, gave each of the new officers beautiful corsages of chrysanthemums and also furnished refreshments for the group. The WSCS will have a candy booth at the bazaar to be held at the Torrance Methodist Church on December 6. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bonnie Beck, 3529 Raintree avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richards, Winlock drive, enjoyed a very pleasant trip to Las Vegas over the weekend of October 12. The occasion was their wedding anniversary. Congratulations, folks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Courtney, Criedwood avenue, are to be congratulated on the birth of a son, James Thomas, on October 2 at the Torrance Memorial hospital. The boy weighed in at seven pounds, one ounce.

Annexation to Sewer District Approved

Supervisor Raymond V. Darby announced the approval by the Board of Supervisors Tuesday of annexation to the 16th street-Prairie avenue Sewer Maintenance District of the area from Ingwood avenue to Arlington avenue, between Redondo Beach boulevard and Compton avenue. In addition, the annexation will also take in Alondra Park and the El Camino Junior College.



MISS FRANCES DIMITRI
... Moves Office

Directors Name Auto Dealer to Chamber Board

Paul Loranger, owner of Paul's Chevrolet agency, was chosen a director of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce Monday at a meeting of the civic body's board of directors, according to Henry W. Creeger, president. Loranger was named to fill the vacancy of Charles Ver Jones, resigned, whose term expires December 31, 1951.

An election committee composed of Chamber members John Squires, Charles Schultz Jr., and Edward Raphael was appointed by the directors to conduct the forthcoming elections in November.

A letter commending the officers and staff executives of Torrance Unified School District for its success in establishing the lowest construction costs of elementary school buildings in the entire State was ordered dispatched by the Chamber board.

Water Officials To Attend Meet

Ben Haggott, president of the West Basin Water Association, left Monday evening for San Francisco to attend the annual meeting of the American Water Works Association. Haggott and Carl Fossette, executive secretary of the local association, will take part in panel discussions on California water problems. The meeting which started last Tuesday will end on Friday. Mrs. Haggott and son Reece, also made the trip.

Woman Realtor Moves Office to New Location

Moving into her permanent office location this week was Miss Frances Dimitri, head of the Frances Real Estate and Insurance firm.

The new office will be located at 2276 Torrance boulevard at Anapola avenue. Formerly the local business woman maintained an office at 1101 Cravens avenue.

Getting settled this week also is her associate, Mrs. Gertrude Schwartz.

The agents handle all general types of real estate transactions and insurance programs. The head of the realty organization is a member of the Woman's Club, the Catholic Daughters of America, Lioness Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club.

Accountant at Tax Meet

Registrants for the fourth annual Institute on Federal Taxation at the University of Southern California last week included Henry Moss, accountant of 19200 South Western avenue.



MRS. GERTRUDE SCHWARTZ
... Getting Settled, Too

Supervisors Open Bids for Sewer Work

Three bids for installing sanitary sewers in Eshelman avenue south of 263rd street were opened by the Board of Supervisors Tuesday. Supervisor Raymond V. Darby reported that the low bid of \$5383 was submitted by the Lick Company of Los Angeles.

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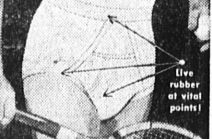
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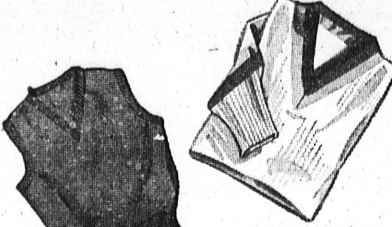


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