

City to Host Installation of Scout Officers

Announcement of the Harbor District Boy Scouts' annual installation of officers dinner to be held in the Civic Auditorium here November 14, was made this week by Bernie J. Couslin, Harbor District chairman of Boy Scouts of America.

Mayor Bob Haggard will extend a welcoming address to the Scouts, who are meeting under the theme of "Forward on Liberty's Team," a slogan which the Boy Scouts of America have adopted for their three-year program.

A. E. Thompson is chairman of the annual meeting committee and will be assisted by William Lassiter, Don Hitchcock, Capt. J. Y. Dannenbert and P. G. Roberts.

AWARDS DUE

Three Scouters from the Harbor District will be presented council awards for outstanding and unselfish service to boyhood. George A. Loeb, chairman of the Silver Beaver committee, will present the Order of Merit awards to the three unannounced recipients.

Walter Rolapp, president of the Los Angeles Area Council of BSA, will officiate as installing officer before local Scouters and their wives.

Other highlights of the evening's festivities will be the presentation of colors by Explorer Scouts of Torrance Post No. 315X, sponsored by the Moose Lodge, Post 225X of Wilmington will direct ushers.

Table reservations to the November 14th event may be made through E. A. "Bud" Green, Room 216, Bendix building, 1206 South Maple avenue, Los Angeles, or by phoning Richmond 5141.

Gary Dawson Receives Promotion in Japan

Gary Dawson, former Torrance High School student now in Japan with the 40th Division, was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant, according to word received last week.

The son of Mrs. Margaret Dawson, of 1306 Plaza del Amador is a member of the Medical Detachment of the 578th Engineer Battalion now at Camp Matsushima on Honshu, the main Japanese island.

New Conduit Production At Rome Cable Due Soon

Production of rigid steel conduit at the Torrance plant of the Rome Cable Corporation will start early next year, it was announced this week by H. T. Dyett, chairman of the board for the corporation.

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HERE, LIKE THIS . . . Laurel Ellis (right) shows Beverly Oriani the proper way to hold the reins during judging while Gladys Brorby looks on (Herald photo).

Tips on Canning Albacore Given by Health Officer

In the wake of one of the greatest runs of albacore and tuna the west coast has had in many seasons, together with increased shipments from Japan, Los Angeles County Health officials are this week answering a flood of requests for information on approved methods of canning these fish.

Housewives are buying tuna and albacore at a wholesale rate of about 25 cents per pound from a growing number of outlets throughout the county. All fish are sold in whole parts only and are purchased in quantities which usually necessitate canning or deep freeze storage.

NON-ACID FOOD

Dr. Roy O. Gilbert, county health officer, points out that there is a right way and wrong way of canning fish, which unlike some other canned products, is a non-acid food.

All non-acid food such as fish

should be canned only under steam pressure, the health officer said.

Technical information now being released by health department officials is based on a bulletin issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the University of California, which recommends that at sea level fish should be processed at ten pounds pressure for 110 minutes using containers not more than a pint in size.

For the first 1000 feet above sea level it is recommended that the pressure be increased by one pound and that it be raised a half a pound for each additional 1000 feet. Time need not be increased.

Dr. Gilbert points out that before eating home canned fish a further precaution of boiling it for 15 minutes could be observed.

Inglewood Co-ed Named Grid Queen at Camino

June Wheeler, an El Camino co-ed from Inglewood, was named "Grid Queen" last week in competition with candidates from nearly all of the school's neighboring cities.

Princesses include Thais Hayne of Hawthorne and Georgia O'Bannon of El Segundo.

Queen Wheeler is a sophomore and has been active in the Tri Sigs and the Delta Sigma Chi sororities. She was crowned by Forrest G. Munk, president of the college, at the El Camino-Modesto football game last Saturday. She reigned at the grid dance following the game.

The queen and her princesses will be honored further at the Long Beach-El Camino football game here next Saturday. The game will be telecast over KJH-TV beginning at 8 p.m.

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Eastern Pilots Coming For Stock Car Classic

Easterners, sent here by the inclement weather now threatening races in the east, and native talent will clash at "Carrell Speedway" November 11 in the 100-Mile Grand National classic of the stock cars, according to Johnny Mantz, regional executive of NASCAR.

Heading the parade of easterners out here will be Herb Thomas, leader in the 1951 title race, and Tim and Bobby Flock, whose brother Fonty is already here for the classic.

Thirty or more local pilots will be on hand, Mantz says.



JUNIOR RIDERS . . . Lined up abreast with Founder Laurel Ellis out in front holding the well-loaded ribbon boards are members of the CIO-United Steelworkers Local 1414, the 31 riders range in ages for 5 to 16, according to Laurel Ellis, who organized the group.

Torrance Junior Riders Second in Golden West

By REID BUNDY

Saturday riders who have stacks of ribbons to prove their accomplishments added a new batch to the boards last weekend by placing several riders in the Golden West meet held near here.

Organized as the Torrance Junior Riders last May under the sponsorship of Steelworkers Local 1414, the 31 riders range in ages for 5 to 16, according to Laurel Ellis, who organized the group.



CLOSEUP . . . A better view of some of the ribbons won by the Torrance Junior Riders as a group and by individuals is given here with Laurel Ellis holding the ribbons. The most recent additions were put on last Sunday.—Herald photo.

Ellis, a grievance committee man at Columbia Steel Company, said that the local wanted to "do something for the kids," so the riding group was formed.

WON SECOND

Evidence of their riding abilities is the second place group ribbon they won at the Golden West meet Sunday in competition with other riding clubs from all over the area.

Individual awards were also given to members of the club who won three second-place ribbons.

A special award was made to 6-year-old Beverly Oriani as the youngest rider in the contest.

The club is organized under a staff of officers headed by Howard Tuttle, president. Norma Pierce is recording secretary. Martha Ward is treasurer and Kenneth Purdy is guard.

MEET SATURDAY

The riders meet at the CIO hall here every other Wednesday afternoon and they meet each Saturday near 230th street and Narbonne avenue for riding drills.

Ellis, who has indicated a keen interest in the kids, spends his Saturdays teaching the young boys and girls how to ride in various formations, how to handle their mounts properly and some of the fundamentals of horsemanship and sportsmanship.

LITTLE SUPERVISION

"Before we organized this club these kids were riding alone and in small groups through the oil fields and up and down the roads, and had practically no supervision," Ellis said.

"Now they meet here each Saturday and we try to see that they ride only where there are no dangers involved," he said. "I'm sure has made Saturday a better day for a lot of mothers around here," he added.

The Torrance Junior Riders made their first public appearance last spring in the Youth Band Parade and have been entered in parades and shows all over the Southland since that time, Ellis reports.

Seabees. The entire job took less than three months.

After assuring the success of the project, Lt. Cmdr. Johnson returned to the U. S. Naval Air Station, Atsugi, Japan, to resume his duties as public works officer there.

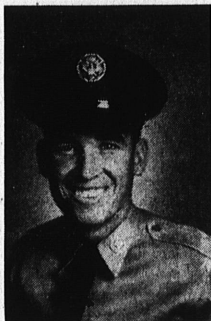
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MOVES ON . . . Completing his basic Air Force indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio recently was Pvt. Robert T. Young, 21, son of Mrs. C. H. Young of 2355 Eldorado. Young is now eligible for an Air Force technical training course.

National's Annual Golf Tourney Set

National Supply Company golfers will settle the hash about who is the best golfer again December 2 when the Annual Golf Tournament is held at the Alondra Park course.

Arranged by Ernie Krieg, one of the plant's most avid golf enthusiasts, the tournament will offer two classes of play—one for those with fully established handicaps and a blind bogey.

Top prize for the day will be the perpetual trophy now held by Dr. Clifford Easley, plant physician. The trophy will go to the golfer with the low net for the day.

Trophies and prizes will be awarded in all divisions, Krieg said.

HUB CAPS STOLEN

Two hub caps, valued at \$8, were stolen from a auto belonging to David L. Bittner while it was parked at 25428 Walnut street last week, deputies reported.

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