

Woman's Club Donates \$100 For AFSIS

A hundred dollar bill, earned through ways and means projects sponsored by the Torrance Woman's Club, will be passed on to the Torrance Chapter, American Field Service International Scholarship, as a result of club action taken yesterday.

Members voted to donate the money following a potluck luncheon at the clubhouse, 1422 Emeralda Ave. Other highlights of the day included state convention reports by Mesdames Grover C. Van Deventer, outgoing president, and Raymond Rogers, president-elect.

Federation passed three notable resolutions, the leaders revealed. One protested conditions among the Indians, urging the use of surplus food to alleviate their suffering; another approved Senator Homer Ferguson's proposed amendment to the pledge of allegiance to the flag, which would insert "under God" after "indivisible"; and a third commended Gov. Knight for his stand demanding more rigid narcotic legislation.

Featured addresses were made by Eleanor Kingsley, nutritionist and lecturer, and Dr. Myron Olson of the University of Southern California.

Choosing "Foundation for Peace" as her topic, Mrs. Kingsley called for a world food plan, saying: "If we would use our available knowledge of food we could wipe out many of the political, social, physical, and mental ills within our generation."

Dr. Olson spoke on "The Light That Must Not Go Out," stressing interest and concern for young people.

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'Stork Story' FROM TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

Thirteen children ranging in age from one and a half to 20 years old compose the family of the Antonio Morenos, 2206 Del Amo Blvd, since the arrival at 8:06 a.m. May 9 of a new daughter, Shirley. The little miss weighed 6 lbs. 11 1/2 oz. and joins John, 20; Phillip, 18; Tony, 17; David, 15; Pete, 13; Eddie, 12; Della, 9; Louise, 7; Billy, 6; Helen, 4; Mary, 3; and Frankie, 1 1/2. Father is a laborer at Columbia Steel; grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andres Alvarez, 2234 Del Amo.

Announcing the arrival of their first child, born at 1:03 p.m. May 12, are the Fred Acostas Jr., 22208 Linda Dr. Named Shirla Elaine, the baby girl weighed 6 lbs. Father is an aircraft mechanic at North American Aviation; grandparents are the Fred C. Acostas of Lawndale and the James L. Klunefellers of Hawthorne.

Also born May 12 was the first son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ormonde, 17145 Arlington Ave. The boy weighed 7 lbs. 11 1/2 oz. and has been named Benjamin Franklin Jr. The mother for Tony Ormonde and Sons Dairy and his wife also have a daughter, two-year-old Debra Marie. Grandparents are the Tony Ormondes Sr. of Gardena and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Corrae Sr., 1110 W. Maple St.

The Edward Boyles, 5208 Doris Way, have named their newest daughter, born May 15 at 2:30 p.m., Deborah Jean. The 7 lb. 13 oz. miss has three sisters, Ann Marie, 7; Janet Louise, 5; and Susan Elizabeth, 2. Father is an assembler at Northrop Aircraft.

Welcoming the birth of their first child, a 7 lb. 10 oz. daughter, are the John Roger Fleming, 1505 W. 228th St. The little miss was born at 4:07 p.m. May 16 and has been named Melody Jeanne. Father works at American Standard; grandparents are Malillee P. Willette, 28008 S. Meyler St., and Harvey E. Willette.

Announcing the arrival of a new grandson, first-born of their daughter and her husband, the Wayne L. Martins of Hawthorne, are Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Fullmer, 2304 Andree Ave. The boy weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz. when born May 17 and has been named Wayne Gordon. Paternal grandparents are the G. E. Martins of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Slate Ways, Means Social

Club business will be combined with a ways and means social tomorrow night when the Arts and Crafts Club meets at 7:30 o'clock at the Y.M.C.A. Among recent activities of the club were distribution of baskets of food and candy at the tuberculosis ward at Harbor General Hospital, it was reported at the last meeting, held at the Narbonne Ave. home of Mrs. Andrew Arterburn.



NEW EXECUTIVES . . . Planning for the summer months is the 1954-55 executive board of Los Fiestaadores, seated, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Jones, secretary; Robert Triplitt, treasurer; Arthur Woodcock, membership chairman; the R. M. Norrises, president; the R. C. Rugraffs, vice-pres-

dent; Mrs. Woodcock; and Mrs. Triplitt. Leaders were revealed Saturday night at the "Spring Prom," held at Portuguese Bend Clubhouse with 29 couples in attendance. Outgoing board is composed of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Eastham, the R. C. Morfons, E. E. Claytons, Merle Richardsons, and C. F. Blackleys. (Herald photo)

Sobadas Go Shoeless for New 'Mixer'

Shoes proved the spark for a new dance sensation Saturday night when Sobadas and their guests gathered at the Assistant League Clubhouse in San Pedro.

Committee members collected one shoe from each male attending. Each woman, dressed in gay summer cotton, then grabbed a shoe at random and searched for its owner, who would be her partner for the dance.

Another "mixer" providing fun and laughs for the approximately 30 couples attending was the passing of a straw hat to herald the coming of summer. When the hands of the clock reached midnight, a net filled with balloons suspended from the ceiling broke, and the crowd scrambled for prizes. Winners in the contest were Clarence Cole, who captured first prize, and Mrs. Nolan (Laura) Stuckey, a guest, who got the booby prize for chasing the elusive balloons.

Other guests, in addition to the Stuckeys, were the Ben Kennedys, Douglas Horlanders, Les Larsons, and Palmer Vogels. Highlighting the occasion was the introduction of the new executive board, composed of the Gilbert Derouins, Frank Cavanaugh, and Frank Farrells. Leaders will take office formally at a dinner dance on June 19.

Eight Cubs of Pack 761-C Get Bobcat Badges

Eight boys received their bobcat badges and took part in repeating the Cub Scout promise with the entire Pack at a meeting of Cub Pack 761-C at McMaster Hall Friday night.

Getting the badges were Carey Hubert, Bill Johnson, Ray Englehardt, Tommy Taylor, Bobby Baber, Michael Smith, Donald Barnett, and Jon Baker.

Greeted with a howl from the Wolf Pack were Ronald Saunders, Davis Graham, Leonard Chanda, and John Alexander, who received their wolf badges, while getting a grunt of welcome from the bears were Gerald Regan, Danny York, and Richard Mooney, who won bear badges. Bears getting silver arrows were Dennis Vandervort and Gary Rudisil.

Other silver arrows went to Baird Sewell, John Kalkoff, and Clifford Enright, while gold arrows were earned by Michael Towell, Jan Osnes, Enright, and Michael Regan.

Four boys marked their anniversary in Cub by receiving year pins. They were Wayne Farris, Sheldon Black, Ricky Bergamo, and Sam Pierce. The Lions roared a welcome to Glenn Sherwood, Arthur Ault, and Craig Kyte, and Webelos badges were awarded to Dennis Sherman and Dean Richter.

Receiving dinner stripes were Clifford Crain, Gary Gladys, Larry Sepulveda, Hubert Taylor, and Michael Smith, while getting assistant dinner stripes were Joey Verburg, James Porter, and William Johnson.

Four new Den mothers, Joyce Langston, Lee Baber, Fran Smith, and Marie Taylor, received their pins, while certificates of appreciation were awarded Betty Vandervort, Eleanor Black, and Rachel Sepulveda.

B'nai B'rith Women Plan Sunday Eve Installation

Mrs. Ralph Klein, resident of Torrance for the past seven years, will take office as the new president of South Bay B'nai B'rith Women next Sunday evening, May 23, at 7:30 o'clock ceremonies at the Western Ave. Country Club in Los Angeles.

The new leader, who lives with her husband and eight-month-old son at 17303 Glenburn Ave., has been a member of the club for four years, serving as first vice-president during 1953-54. Vice-presidents who will assist Mrs. Klein during her term of office are Mesdames William Brodsky, Milton Feinberg, and Bernard Seltzer.

Wife, Baby Join Cloward In Germany

Happily reunited with his wife and getting his first glimpse of his infant son Tuesday was Sgt. Richard E. Cloward, who is stationed with the U. S. Army at Frankfurt, Germany.

Mrs. Cloward, the former Miss Gloria Encinas, and Richard Jr. (Rickle), who will be one year old June 4, left by American Airlines Sunday evening to join the sergeant, arriving at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. The family will be living in Frankfurt for the next 15 months until Cloward receives his discharge.

Luncheon to Honor El Nido PTA Moms

A gift for the school will be purchased with funds from tomorrow's luncheon honoring room mothers of El Nido PTA. Mrs. W. A. Wright, press chairman, reported.

Event will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Mrs. Wright's 18328 Roslin Ave. home.

Hat Parade Climaxes May Meeting of Halldale PTA

A hat march, with board members parading in chapeaux designed to depict their husbands' employment, trade, or profession climaxed the fashion and hobby sparking last Thursday's meeting of Halldale Ave. PTA.

Prizes for the most original headgear went to Mesdames Henry Well and M. S. Condon.

Sisterhood Execs to Plan Installation

Arrangements for special confirmation and commencement exercises of religious school students will be discussed and plans for the installation of new officers will be made tonight when the Board of Temple Menorah Sisterhood meets at the Redondo Beach home of Mrs. Mark Bennett.

Mrs. Rube Drabin will share hostess honors for the evening. Mrs. Sydney Siegel, president, announces that the majority of money collected at religious school sessions during the month of April will be donated to the Jewish Welfare Fund, with a special award given to the class raising the highest amount.

Religious School will meet on May 23 for the last time of this school year and will recess for summer vacation until September, 1954. Information regarding Sisterhood and Religious School activities may be obtained from the membership chairman, Mrs. Harry Simons, Frontier 2-8171.

Scout Troop Organized for Retarded Boys

Boy Scout Troop for retarded children sponsored by the Mid-Cities Association has enough interested boys to obtain a charter, but there are still openings, especially in the Cub bracket of eight to 11, Mrs. E. Scheer, press chairman, said this week.

All retarded boys eight years of age and older living in this area are eligible to become Scouts. Parents may obtain application blanks and additional information as to meetings by sending a postal card to The Association, Box 24, Compton.

This troop, one of the first of its kind in this area, offers innumerable opportunities to boys who otherwise are excluded from many community activities, Mrs. Scheer said. Organization of Girl Scouts under the same plan will be completed in the near future.

SUMMER RECREATION 186th ST. PTA TOPIC

"What Recreation Opportunities for Next Summer?" themed a panel discussion presented at last Thursday's 186th St. PTA meeting by a panel of experts in the field.

Ed Hubbard of the Gardena Community Center, Y. Hammett of Rosecrans Recreation Playground; Mrs. Joseph Lukes of the Torrance Y.W.C.A. and D. Kanapone of the Boy Scouts of America each told of individual programs offered stressing that they were not competing with each other but rather co-operating to give a well-rounded program to the boys and girls of this community.

Hammett, who just recently returned to Rosecrans Playground, told of the opportunity for mothers' recreation too, with each mother taking turns baby-sitting while the others exercised.

High point of the Gardena Community Center's program is its weekly appearance on television. Hubbard said. He also said that while the Center has a well-planned program for children and teen-agers, it does not forget mom and dad or even grandma and grandpa, for an old-timers club is included in the activities.

Mrs. Lukes scored a hit describing the YW's weekly "slimnasium" class, while Kanapone called for more cooperation from adults for Scout leadership. "A troop which fails because it has no leaders is a sad and frustrating thing," he said.

Other highlights of the Association session included the presentation of a gold cup earned for the excellent safety program of the past year to Mrs. James McMillen, president. Making the award was Mrs. W. Earley.

Mrs. McMillen in turn presented the cup to Miss Hilda Jellison, principal, who accepted it for the Association that also told the Association that a survey for the best location for the long-awaited "cafeteria" has been made. "We hope it will be a dream realized before too long," she said.

Suggested by-laws were read and non-law last week-end. Entertainment was offered by the sixth grade choir under the direction of Miss Ruth Adams. Music teacher, and refreshments were served by the kindergarten room mothers.

Variety Spice Of Catholic Rummage Sale

Women of the Nativity Church are busy stocking racks, and tables at the Parish hall with a large assortment of clothing as well as houseware, appliances, dishes, toys, knick-knacks, and furniture in preparation for their semi-annual rummage to be held tomorrow and Saturday, May 21 and 22.

Doors of the hall, located at 1420 Cota Ave., will open from 10 a.m. to 9 each evening so that all may attend, according to Mesdames Celina Dean and Yvonne Bernardin, co-chairmen.

"This sale shows promise of being the biggest and best yet held by this group," they said. Contributions may be delivered to the Hall any afternoon or evening this week or pick-up service may be arranged by calling Mrs. Dean at FAirfax 8-2776.

All proceeds of the sale will go to the church building fund.

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PARENTS VISIT MRS. F. P. FOLEY

Currently visiting at the 1650 W. 204th St. home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Foley are her parents, the H. C. Davidsons of Storm Lake, Iowa.

The Easterners plan to spend approximately a month in Torrance. They were entertained at Palm Springs by their daughter and son-in-law last week-end.