

GETTING ACQUAINTED . . . Mrs. R. G. Parke, Seaside PTA president, pours a cup of coffee for Vice-Principal Lloyd Jones, who is surrounded by Mrs. Stanley Briggs, right, and Mesdames Eldon Perkins and Jack Mahon, at left. Scene is the get-acquainted break fast held Monday morning at the 6426 Sharynne Lane bome of Mrs. Parke in preparation for the membership campaign, which will begin next Monday, Oct. 5. (Herald photo).

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Social Monday

First social of the year, a potituck dinner, will precede next Monday night's parent education meeting of the Torrance Cooperative Nursery School.

Affair will be held at 7 o'clock at the Torrance High School cafeteria. Following the meal, members will discuss parent-child problems.

Mobile Chest Kray unit will be at the local Saféway Market next Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 7 and 8, and the following Friday at Jim Dandy Market, Mrs. Charles Moore, publicity chairman, said.

All mothers who have children enrolled sp. the nursery and are urged to visit the mobile unit if they have not already done so, she continued.

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STRESS NEED FOR PLASMA RESERVE

The immediate need for an adequate emergency supply of blood plasma in this country was stressed today by Mrace Gordon Jones, blood recruitment chairman of the Torrance branch, American National Red Cross.

Mrs. Jones pointed out that the nation's blood needs are many. Whole blood still is needed by the armed forces overseas, and in this country; hospitals use great quantities of whole blood in treating servicemen, veterans, and civilians. After these immediate needs are met, all remaining blood collected is used to failid up the country's plasma reserve.

"We must build up this reserve rapidly," Mrs. Jones said, "so that we will be ready for any emergency. An attack on this country could wipe out our present reserve overnight."

The blood recruitment chairman urged all who can to give a pint of blood, "Giving blood," she said, "is practically painless, requires little time, and does not leave the donor with any harmful effects. It is so little to offer, yet it pays such great dividends!"

Residents of this area can arrange to contribute blood by calling the Torrance Red Cross branch at FAirfax 8-0810 for an appointment. The bloodmobile unit will be at the food Civil Auditorium from 3 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 12.

Crowd of 500 Attends Plaza-Gardens Hop

A crowd of 500 danced to the music of Freddie Gray and his orchestra last Saturday night when the Torrance Gardens-Plaza Homeowners Association sponsored an evening of fun at the Hollywood Riviera Club-

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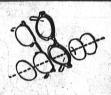
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