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Van Loosbrocks Win \$100 First Prize in Decoration Contest

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One of the latest and best ideas, the Riviera Village Associates Sportsmen's Club Home Decorating Contest, came to a successful conclusion last week as Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Van Loosbrock, 511 Paseo De La Reyes, were awarded first prize for their unique home Christmas decorations.

The first prize winner received a \$100 merchandise order for a fairy tale scene, depicting illuminated reindeer on the roof, snow men on the porch,

and a shadow box arrangement near the garage with a small doll organ player playing yule songs that were sent out over a public address system.

The second prize of a \$50 merchandise order went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmalz, 428 Calle Mayor. The Schmalz home featured a bellery on the roof, with a stained glass effect window directly below. Their home was wired for Christmas music and sounds of carols added to the atmosphere.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doyle, of 209 Via Los Miradores, were winners of the third prize. Gingerbread men on the windows and a roll of lighted white candy canes lining the approach to the house on the driveway were the attractive features at the Doyle residence. Reindeer held the place of honor on the rooftop.

Other prizes of \$5 each, redeemable at the stores of members in the Riviera Village, were awarded to L. L. Willey, 220 Camino De Los Colinas; M. L. Van Tine; 820 Camino De Los Colinas; H. K. Inglis, 121 Via Los Altos; Don Mason, 736 Calle de Arboles; and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson, 236 Calle de Madrid.

A. J. Mahoney acted as general chairman of the contest. The contest was sponsored jointly by the Hollywood Riviera Sportsmen's Club and the Riviera Village Assn.

Brownie Troop 167 held their Christmas party in the home of their leader, Mrs. Paul Albright. Cake and ice cream

were served the girls. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Lorraine Klingler, co-leader, led the troop in singing carols.

Mrs. Lorraine Klingler, 422 Camino Del Campo reported this week that the seventh grade Christmas dance held recently at the El Retiro Park Clubhouse was a success.

The dance was sponsored by the Riviera-Newton Schools Parents dance committee. The hall was decorated gayly for the occasion with Christmas tree and bright lights. Refreshments were served.

Dance music supplied by Jack Ewart's "Melodians." Mrs. Klingler wants to thank the Riviera Village merchants for their donations, which helped make the party a success.

Brownie Troop 234 held its Investiture recently at the home of Mrs. Vene Darby, 240 Via Buena Ventura. Mrs. Lelan Livingston is the leader, while Mrs. Frank Adair is the co-leader.

Fred Buxtons Hosts at New Year's Party

Mrs. G. Henry Miller, assistant to the South Bay Council of Girl Scouts spoke at the Investiture. Mrs. George Thompson, Americanism chairman of Unit 170 of the American Legion of Torrance, presented the flag.

Girls interested in the new troop included Pamela Adair, Jan Lynn Cloud, Diana Darby, Pamela Donald, Jan Harrell, Susan Livingston, Nancy Reynolds, Sherry Riley, Nancy Ruby, Sandra Turner, Beverly Werner, Gayle Woodworth.

Diana Satal and Lynne Zerkie were ill and unable to attend, but they will be invested after the first of the year.

About 40 parents and friends attended.

Mrs. Julius Toth, 134 Via Alameda, fell from a stool in her kitchen the day before Christmas and broke her left knee in two places.

Mrs. Toth was busy preparing a Christmas party for the neighborhood children. Her husband took her to the Magnolia Hospital in Long Beach where she remained for about four days. The children were not disappointed though, as Toth went ahead with the party and everyone had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Connelly, of 113 Via El Chico, entertained out of town guests over the Christmas holidays. Chief Warrant Officer Thomas Dolaney and their son, Thomas, 12, from San Francisco. While here they made a trip to Disneyland.

Over New Year's they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walter from Minnesota.

Thorsten Burman of 315 Calle de Andalucia, with his daughter Lynn, 13, and son Tommy, 8, spent Christmas up in the Bainbridge Island territory.

They made the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Berg, who

Mrs. Globus Is Feted at Tea

As a farewell compliment to Mrs. Robert Globus, who with her family is moving to Sacramento, Mrs. Joseph Boylan was hostess at a tea at her Grand Summit Rd. home last Wednesday afternoon.

A Christmas arrangement decorated the tea table from which refreshments were served.

Attending the party were Mrs. Leo Renaud, Walter Bruhn, Bert C. Mennes, Pete Zampirini, Robert E. Belk, Robert S. Kendrick, R. R. Jones, Pete Thompson, Robert Armstrong, Edward Bentley, Robert Trimble, Robert Carney and W. H. Hutchison.



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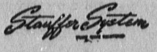
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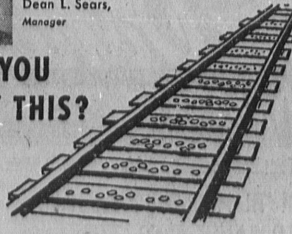
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