

Nursery School Parents Discuss Speech Therapy

Guest speaker at an adult meeting held by Torrance Nursery School Monday evening was Thomas Lasecki, Torrance School District speech therapist, who explained individual speech differences among children and techniques of speech therapy used in the schools.

A question and answer session was conducted by Mrs. Irwin Boxer following his talk.

Committee chairmen announced by Mrs. Arthur Schwartz, president, include Mrs. Ken Boulter, constitution; Mrs. Leonard Jensen, nominating committee; Mrs. Max Negri, secretary; Michael Kevorkian, fathers scheduling committee; Mrs. Edward Spingold, mothers' scheduling committee; and Mrs. Cyril Nelson, purchasing committee.

Persons interested in applying for membership in the cooperative nursery, which has a four-day program at 4557 W. 182nd St. near Hawthorne Blvd., are asked to contact Mrs. Rodney Mills, FA 8-4519, or Mrs. Dewey French, FR 4-3988.



WELFARE TEAM . . . Sam Levy, 1503 El Prado, and Mrs. Edward Schwartz, 3244 El Dorado, have accepted keep posts in 1959 United Jewish Welfare Fund drive.

Father, Daughter Team Up for Welfare Campaign

The Torrance father-and-daughter team of Sam Levy and Mrs. Edward Schwartz will "play ball" again for the 1959 United Jewish Welfare Fund campaign, it has been announced. They were signed up by Los Angeles Area chairman J. M. Stuchen for the seventh straight year.

Levy has been given the job of special assignments chairman for the Los Angeles areas drive, while Mrs. Schwartz

takes on the Southern area vice-chairman assignment.

The father-and-daughter teamwork is not limited to the Welfare Fund. In addition to managing the same business, both are very active in other civic and community activities. Levy has served as Harbor area chairman and Mrs. Schwartz as Torrance chairman for the Community Chest. Both are members of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce and active in the local YMCA and the County Heart Assn.

Levy is presently campaign chairman for the Little Company of Mary Hospital in Torrance; he is honorary chief of the Torrance Fire Dept.; past president of the Rotary Club and member of B'nai B'rith. He is a past recipient of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce Distinguished Citizen award for community work. He and his wife, Frances, live at 1503 El Prado and Mrs. Schwartz resides at 3244 El Dorado. She and her husband have an eleven-year-old son, Alan.

California Publishers to Open 71st Annual Convention Friday

Newspaper publishers will open a three-day discussion of publishing problems in San Francisco, Friday, Feb. 6, when the 71st Annual Convention of the California Newspaper Publishers Assn. opens at Hotel Sheraton-Palace, according to John B. Long, the association's general manager.

Bert J. Abraham, publisher of the Bellflower Herald-Enterprise, and president of the statewide organization, will open the sessions Friday noon.

THE TRADITIONAL "Family Night" dinner will be held Friday night when Governor Edmund G. "Pat" Brown and

other constitutional officers of the State will be honored. Newly elected officers and board of directors members of CNPA will be installed Saturday noon following the annual business meeting that morning.

General Alfred M. Gruenther, president of American Red Cross, and former Supreme Allied Commander in Europe, will be the speaker at the Saturday noon luncheon. Attending from the HERALD will be Co-Publishers King Williams and Glenn W. Pfeil.

Governor Brown will make the presentation of awards at the Saturday Awards breakfast for outstanding accomplishments in newspaper publication in California during the past year.

"ROUND TABLE" sessions Friday and Saturday afternoons will be held for dailies, flat-bed dailies, weeklies, and controlled circulation newspapers and will feature "shop talk" and interchange of ideas. The convention will be climaxed with a dinner-dance Saturday evening. Some 900 registrants are expected, according to J. Clinton Toney, publisher of the Solano Republican, Fairfield, who is general chairman of the convention.

Special entertainment for the publishers' wives is being planned by the Women of CNPA under direction of Mrs. Ralph Turner, Temple City, president of the Women of CNPA.

Registration Ends Tuesday At El Camino

Tuesday will mark the final deadline for registration for spring classes at El Camino College.

Enrollment figures are expected to mount to 10,000 by 7 p.m., when class sign-ups are terminated.

New, former, and currently enrolled students may enroll Tuesday without reservation slips from 1 until 3 p.m. and from 5:30 until 7 p.m.

Registration will be conducted in the Campus Center.

North Torrance Students To Play 'Musical Chairs'

Tomorrow will seem like a giant game of musical chairs for some 1300 north Torrance elementary students as they move into three new school homes — Magruder, Hamilton, and Yukon schools.

Friday was "goodbye" day for the students, as they said goodbye to some of their classmates at six other schools. At El Nido School, composed of wooden buildings, students said "goodbye forever" to the school, since it will no longer be used.

Opening of the new schools will reduce the number of north Torrance youngsters on double sessions from 2800 to 900. None of the new buildings will be faced with half-day sessions and Crenshaw School also will be free of them for the first time in several years. The number of children on double sessions at Carr, Edison, Arlington, and Perry Schools will be greatly reduced.

STUDENTS WILL get down to business tomorrow at Magruder School, 4100 W. 185th

St., with about 450 expected; Hamilton School, 2606 W. 182nd St., with about 430; and Yukon School, 17900 Yukon Ave., which expects some 480.

With the three school openings, officials moved ahead with plans for the completion of Lincoln School, 2418 W. 166th St., later this year. Additions also are scheduled at Edison, Arlington, and Lincoln Schools, as well as a new Madison School, 176th and Doty Ave.

Boundaries for the north Torrance area, which now go into effect, were drawn with an eye to future development of the area. Officials said that these attendance areas, with a few possible adjustments, should serve for several years.

FARM BRED-ROSTER

Only three men on the Dodgers' 1941 roster never played for a Dodger farm club — Wally Moon, Rip Repulski, and Sandy Koufax. And Koufax, of course, never played for anyone else but the Dodgers.

Students Drop Books, Pick Up Brooms in 'Anti-Litter, Drive'

Ward School students, busy waging a war on litterbugs, paused this week to honor their school's chief anti-litterbug man—Custodian Herb Alverson.

Alverson was honored at a special anti-litterbug assembly at the school when students themselves became "custodians for a day" to show their appreciation to Alverson for his work in keeping the campus clean. Special anti-litter activities were under way from Jan. 19 to 30.

By resolution of the student council, students voted to do a better job in helping Alverson and his staff keep the campus neat.

Winners for contests for the best anti-litterbug posters and decorations for the school's trash cans were announced at the assembly.

The winning trash can show-

ed an outer space visitor, litter in hand, saying "Take me to your trash can."

At the Monday assembly, Alverson was honored with presentations from the various rooms, including anti-litter poems and stories, a drawing of himself, a citation saying "World's Best Custodian," and an anti-litter ditty sung to the tune of the "Chipmunk Song."

School Body President Gayle Schenk presided, with Student Council Safety Chairman Mike Sullivan acting as emcee. The clean campus activities were sponsored by the Student Council Safety Committee, with James Armstrong acting as faculty sponsor.

POLIO REPORT

Three cases of polio have been reported in Los Angeles County during 1959 compared to a median of 22 during the 1954-58 period.

Kiwanis Speakers Move From Bugs to Traveling

Members of the Torrance Kiwanis Club will find out all about the workings of a travel service tomorrow evening when Ruth Minger of the Palos Verdes Travel Service will be guest speaker at the regular club meeting.

She will explain the functions, methods, costs, and services of a travel service.

A discussion of the devastation of the spruce budworm

the fir forests of Maine and Montana was presented before the club last Monday by Merle Hofferber, member of the United States Forest Service and brother of Dr. Allen E. Hofferber of Torrance.

A STAFF assistant in the service, Hofferber is based at St. Maries, Idaho. The insect, a small, brownish worm, was described as a source of high damage to timber in the Rocky Mountain region as well as in Maine. Public agencies and states have joined with private land owners to combat the pest, Hofferber told Kiwanians.

Operations against the pest include use of military-type aircraft for low-level spraying of crude DDT and oil mixtures—much of the chemical being

manufactured in Torrance, the visitor said.

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Slides were used to illustrate the talk.

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Newton School Pupils Present Talent Show

Newton School youngsters showed off the talents of their voices, hands, and feet in a talent show Friday afternoon in the school cafeteria.

With John Butterfield and Paul Tibbett acting as emcees, the students presented songs, dances, instrumental solos, and dramatic skits.

Performing for their fellow students were Richard Colburn, Paul Geisel, Michele Sullivan, Nancy Kelly, Sharon Gibbs, Susan Butterfield, Sharon Shindler, Geoff Hamada, Carolyn Schroeder, Lana Hurst, Vicki Peebles, Deena Perry, Sally Benedict, Susan Johnson, and a vocal group, "Hill, Inc."

TO EXPAND PLANT

The Columbia-Geneva Steel Division of United States Steel is planning a major addition to its present galvanized sheet plant in planning a major addition to its present galvanized sheet producing facilities at Pittsburg Works, it has been announced by L. B. Worthington, president.

HEALTH BUDGET

Three cases of scarlet fever headed the reportable diseases reported in Torrance during the week ending Jan. 24. Others included epilepsy, hepatitis, measles, and pertussis.



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