

Lomita Eastern Star Unit Holds Sixth Installation

An impressive ceremony at the Lomita Masonic Temple on Wednesday evening, November 26, marked the sixth installation of the Lomita chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Past Patron Edward Peterson, master of ceremonies, welcomed a capacity audience. Lane Holloway, honorary marshal and Edna Peterson, honorary chaplain, escorted the past matrons and past patrons of Lomita chapter, who served as installing officers.

They were Alice Hansen, installing officer; Jack Graham, patron; Phyllis Hamilton, marshal; Cecil Dowling, chaplain; Martha Fluke, installing officer; and Leatrice Roberts, past matron.

Seated as Bible bearer and flag bearer honoring the worthy matron and patron were their daughter, Susan Tenney and son, William Tenney. Arthur Anderson gave the invocation and benediction. Worthy Matron Ethel Dowling and Worthy Patron Alan Crawford were escorted as the first leaders of Lomita chapter.

Also escorted and given honors were Misses Williams, deputy grand matron of 1958 from the Torrance chapter.

Effective officers installed were: Rosalind Tenney, worthy matron; Frank Tenney, worthy patron; Wanda Coggin, associate matron; Wilson Jones, associate patron; Laura Jones, secretary; Tina Johnson, treasurer; Betty Church, con-

ductress; Helen Anderson, associate conductress.

Appointing officers were Edith Jackson, chaplain; Rosalind Tenney, marshal; Frances Jenkins, organist; Edith Tenney, Adah; Grace Roberts, Ruth; Beina Chudy, Esther; Claire Laird, Martha; Wilda Finlay, Elsie; Muriel Gasser, warder; and Glenn Holloway, sentinel.

Introduced by the worthy matron were the hostesses: Jane Horton, chairman; Dorothy Jackson, Edna Gasser, Vida Meloney, Leona Black, Betty Walker, Clara Newkirk, Julia Howard, Agnes Howell and Virginia Haslam.

Others were Harlan Bates, flag bearer; Jane Hansen, secretary; Edna Gasser, publicist; and Alice Crawford, proxy.

Dorothy Jackson served as chairman of the reception. Other committees were Carolyn Graham, Agnes Franklin, Anne Long, Hope Williams, Ethel Chaves, Cora Gardner, Olive Newton, Harole Gasser, Lois Praska, Leah Dell Simpson, Winnie Flegg and Pollyanna Verbeck.

Others were Don Hansen, Earl Brown, Wally Williams, Marion Jackson and Ray Stephens.



NEW OES LEADERS... Installed in impressive ceremonies at the Lomita Masonic Temple were, from left, Frank Tenney, worthy patron; Mrs. Frank Tenney, worthy matron; Mrs. Wanda Coggin, associate matron; and Wilson Jones, associate patron. This was the organization's sixth installation.

WSCS Party Tuesday Eve

Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will hold its annual Christmas Party for Jesus.

The program "Christmas Customs From Near and Far" will be presented by the high school choir and the World Friendship Group.

Circles chairman will present their cash gifts at the altar and refreshments will be served in the Fellowship hall.

Announcement of this party is made by Mrs. Harlan McCool, president.

Ann Landers Sisterhood Hears Review

"The Answer Camp" by Jerome Weidman was reviewed by Rabbi Henry Front at a meeting of Temple Beth-El Sisterhood which took place at the temple, 113 N. Central St., Redondo Beach, Monday evening.

Following the Rabbi's review the book was discussed by a panel which included Mrs. Arnold Cowan, Mrs. Joseph D. Lurie, Mrs. Robert Saunders and Mrs. Milton Feinberg, moderator.

Preceding the book review a demonstration of the Chanukah candle-lighting ceremony was given by Mrs. Reggie Front, Sisterhood chaplain.

Mrs. Gene Kaufman, president, conducted the business meeting.

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Dear Ann: I'm ashamed to discuss this with anyone I know. It's my husband. He's turned into a check-fodder and I don't know what to do about it.

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Since your husband seems to have trouble finding his pockets I suggest you step in and help him. Next time say in a loud voice "IT'S OUR TURN, DEAR." Then take the check from the waiter and hand it to him. Couples who go out together often should take turns. Keep track for him.

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Cafe Diners

Among the Torrance dinner guests recently at the Polytechnic Restaurant were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Fay X. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Robinson.

Returns Home

Mrs. Jolita Shirley has returned to her home in Ventura after spending 19 days here with her niece, Mrs. H. F. Heinlein family at 2208 Gramercy.

Helpers Club Names Officers

Two Helpers club of Melrose Lodge 240 entertained at a Christmas party Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Esther Hansen, 23403 President Ave., Harbor City.

During a business session, officers were elected. They are Mrs. Mae Van Wie, president; Mrs. Mayme Wells, vice president; and Mrs. Lella Butler, field, secretary-treasurer.

A turkey luncheon followed and a gift exchange and card games were the diversions for the afternoon.

223rd Street Student Here

Miss Peggy Sprout, sophomore at Whittier College, was home for the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sprout. Peggy is a home economics major at Whittier.

LOCAL PTA ACTIVITIES

Wood

A gay square dancing program featuring 8th grade students of Howard Wood School was the highlight of last week's PTA meeting. After the students presented the program which was in charge of school teachers, Albert Costas, James Armstrong and Earl Brabant, the students had the parents join in with the dancing, with everyone enjoying the theme "Around We Go."

Mrs. Paul Braswell, PTA president, conducted the business meeting and the opening was given by Cub Scouts of Pack 2114. Mrs. Cleo McCowan, TEAC chairman, gave an outstanding report on the recent TEAC luncheon which featured a speaker who had visited schools in Russia.

The speaker was Dr. Glenn T. Goodwill, superintendent of the Santa Monica school district.

Mrs. C. W. Stratum, school PTA president, reported on the parent school meeting held on Nov. 10. At that time, Dr. F. R. Cybert spoke to the adult study group on what the school expects of the parents.

Ways and Means chairman, Mrs. Hiro Murakami, reported on the school carnival.

A letter was read from Dr. J. H. Hull, commending the PTA for its assistance on the school bond election.

On Nov. 17, Mrs. Braswell and Principal Robert Evans attended the meeting at Calle Mayor school for all presidents and principals of Torrance Unified School District. Dr. Hull and Mrs. H. McVey were featured on that program.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by sixth and seventh grade room mothers.

Crenshaw

Youth groups of the Crenshaw school will be featured at the monthly meeting to be held Dec. 10. Brownie troops participating are Troop 1809, Mrs. B. P. Brady, leader; Troop 2048, Mrs. M. Richards, leader; Troop 223, Mrs. A. Hanson, leader; and Troop 1851, Mrs. T. Everett, leader.

Intermediate Girl Scouts, Troop 2022, Mrs. Brantlett, Troop 115, Mrs. D. Scoville, Junior High Girl Scouts Troop 731, Mrs. Busser.

Club Scout and YMCA Indian guides contributing to the program are: Pacl 518, leader, D. Enlow; Saboteurs Tribe, J. Brantlett; Yakima Tribe, T. Westfall.

These groups have planned a Christmas program and all parents are urged to attend the meeting. In addition to this there will be Christmas singing. All favorite Christmas carols will be sung.

Chairman to be featured are Mrs. G. W. Kridner, Inauguration; and Mrs. R. P. Brady, welfare.

Hostesses for the evening will be the second grade room mothers.

Haldale

A tea for kindergarten parents was held recently in the Haldale Ave. school auditorium by the kindergarten teachers, Helen Cole, Lois Graham and Helen Cipriotti.

The purpose of the tea was to acquaint the parents with the program planned for kindergarten children.

Armanda Wilhelm, principal, gave a short welcoming talk along with Helen Cole, teacher, and Mrs. Frank Bowling Jr., president of Haldale Ave. PTA.

Mrs. Helen McKenzie, school nurse, talked on health habits and immunization progress in the primary grades.

Helen Cipriotti discussed the characteristics of a five-year-old. Covered slides were shown to the parents of their own children at work and at play. Lois Graham narrated each slide.

After the program, a social hour followed. The following PTA members assisted the hostesses in serving: Mrs. W. H. McGuire, William Brock, George Winters, F. E. Dye, W. L. Harvey, Frank Bowling Jr., John Perkovich, Frank Koller and Joe Martinez.

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