

## Riviera PTA Studies New Aid Program

The Riviera School PTA initiated an experimental program to assist teachers through the Teachers' Aid Program last year on a monthly basis.

The operation, originally suggested by Robert D. Allen, principal, has expanded as a result of the number and variety of requests submitted by teachers to become a major program of student enrichment.

Essentially the volunteer organization relieves teachers of duties which can be handled by mothers thus permitting more time for individualization within the classroom.

The many services provided by the program include: typing, particularly ditto masters in many categories; colored posters on large tag-board for use as visual aids, primarily in the Spanish department; hand-painted clock faces with moving hands as teaching aids at the primary level; phonetic and flash card sets; magazine pictures assembled in general categories in a working file for bulletin boards and classroom use; and a variety of lettering and numbering tasks.

Volunteer workshops are held at the school and a nursery program has been established while workshops are in progress.

One of the current problems is reaching additional parents to join the group as the work expands, according to Mrs. Wallace Peterson, chairman. Persons interested may contact Mrs. Peterson or other group officers including: Mmes. Ronald Bingham, nursery; Roger Raymond, magazine files; Gene Voorhees, registrar enrollment records; Richard Wald, typing; Gerry Felnagle, lettering and flash cards; and Edward Hombordy, artwork.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardin, 1736 Andree, had as their guests for two days last week, old friends, Col. and Mrs. Ray Matthews of Leavenworth, Kansas, who are vacationing in California.

## Ann Landers

(Continued from Page 9) parading at stags in the alto-sphere.

Dear Ann Landers: I have a wonderful cleaning woman who likes to drink a little during the day. She may be an alcoholic but this is not my business, and I don't want to get mixed up in her personal life. All I know is that she is a terrific cleaning woman and I want to keep her if I can.

If she would just help herself to the liquor she wants and leave the rest alone I wouldn't mind. But she tries to cover up her drinking by filling the Bourbon bottle with what is left of the Scotch. Sometimes she adds the left-over Vodka to the Gin—thinking that so long as it is the same color nobody will know.

I don't want to tell her to drink all she wants and leave the rest of the liquor alone because then she would surely get drunk on the job. What do you suggest?

—WITHOUT A CLUE

Dear Without: Have you ever heard of a lock? So get one for your liquor cabinet. End problem.

Dear Ann Landers: I have been going with a very nice woman for the past five years. We are not able to get married for a while for reasons I won't explain here.

Miss B and I exchange birthday gifts, Christmas gifts and on Valentine's Day we remember one another, too. St. Patrick's Day has special meaning to us because we are both Irish—so that's another gift.

Four years ago when I asked Miss B what she wanted for her birthday she said, "Give me money and let me buy what I like." I gave her \$25 in cash and she was pleased. Since that time I've given her cash for all these special days. She never tells me what she buys with the money and I am beginning to resent it. I think she just socks it away. As close as I can figure, she must have at least \$400 of my money.

I'd like your opinion on this. —MR. SHELL-OUT

Dear Mr.: What do you mean YOUR money? You gave it to her, didn't you? If you don't want Miss B to sock it away, why don't you buy something you THINK she'll like and stop beefing?

## Couples Club Views Films On Missions

The missionary film "Through the Gates of Splendor" was shown at the May 16 meeting of the Couples Club of the Lutheran Church of the Resurrection.

The film is a complete story of the martyrdom and triumph of five young missionaries killed by the savage Aucaas. Most of the film was taken on the beach, by the missionaries shortly before they were killed.

Don Welland, who has done missionary work in Brazil, gave an illustrated talk on a self-supporting mission in the Brazil back-country.

Ellen Jensen sang several selections prior to the introduction of new officers who will be installed in June.

Host couples for the evening were Ralph and Gladys Black, Harold and Dorothy Harvey and Bob and Marilyn Hamilton.

## Birthdays Celebrated

Ellen and Linda Cobb, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Cobb, 3536 W. 187th St. recently celebrated their 16th and 14th birthdays.

Ellen celebrated her birthday by going to the theater with Linda, Eddie Salazar, and Gary Sorenson.

Pacific Ocean Park was chosen by Linda for her birthday party. She invited friends Peggy Chioppetta, Alberta Apodaca, Ellen Duhamel, and Merline Hardy to help her celebrate.

Ellen is a junior and Linda a freshman at North High.

## Student Fashion Show Slated at El Camino

Featuring some 65 student models and work of clothing classes, the home economics department of El Camino College will welcome the public to its annual Fashion Show Wednesday from 1 to 3 p.m.

# PTA

The  
**Torrance Council Way**

Mrs. Perry Baker

Publicity for the PTA column should be sent to Mrs. John Watkins, 3826 W. 183rd St., Torrance. Mrs. Watkins is the new publicity chairman for the Torrance Council.

**EVELYN CARR**  
"Fashions For Youth" will be the program theme at the last meeting of the year of the Evelyn Carr PTA on May 25. A short business meeting conducted by Mrs. Stanley Jackson, president, will be followed by a fashion parade. Historian report by Mrs. Gerald Cunerty will be featured. Guest of honor will be Mrs. James Orr, Torrance Council PTA President, who will install the officers for the 1964-65 year. New officers include Mrs. Stewart Angus, president; Mrs. Ken Durien and Mrs. James Morris, vice-presidents; Mrs. John Burke, treasurer; Mrs. Harold Lowe, recording secretary; Mrs. Ronald Lozer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Herbert De Young, historian; Mrs. Stanley Jackson, parliamentarian; and Wally Newberry, auditor.

**HICKORY**  
Mrs. William Hussey, charter president of Hickory PTA installed Mrs. Harley K. Gray for a second term as President on May 21. Other officers installed were Mmes. Ben Wallace, first vice president; Josef Ruzek, second vice president; Arthur Gonzales, third vice president; Walter West, fourth vice president; Delmar Michlar, recording secretary; Roger Anderson, corresponding secretary; Glen Fortin, treasurer; Frank Knight, historian; Russell Furlong, parliamentarian; and Mr. Richard Leibovitz, auditor.

**CALLE MAYOR**  
Mrs. Leonard Priestly, president of the Calle Mayor PTA, presided over the last meeting of the year on Tuesday May 12. Under the direction of David Sherman, music and chorus instructor, guests were entertained with several selections by the chorus. Mrs. Joseph Matwick, president-elect, reported on the PTA convention held in Sacramento. A film on water safety was shown and narrated by Michael Casinelli, 8th grade teacher.

**GATEWAY**  
In this merry month of May, Gateway Council PTA met at Peary Junior High School for their business meeting and their May baskets were filled with beautiful flower corsages for elderly people at Harbor General Hospital to help brighten Mother's Day. Mrs. Sam Polston was in charge.

Gateway was welcomed at Peary by Mrs. Kenneth Sulser, PTA president, and Miss Frances Stephan, principal.

Mrs. Gordon T. Lewis, first vice-president, presided in the absence of Mrs. David Goolby, president.

It was announced that Mrs. Goolby had resigned and that it was accepted with regrets. Mrs. Gordon T. Lewis was elected to serve in her place, for 1964-65.

The drama class, under the direction of Leo Reck, presented "Springtime for Dan" and provided laughter galore and received rousing applause.

Mrs. Jesse Guillen was singled out for a presentation from the Tenth District PTA for the Meritorious Award in recognition of outstanding service under the Gateway Council PTA and the Gardena Council PTA for press releases of PTA news. Mrs. Guillen, in her statement of thanks, said it couldn't have been done without the cooperation and understanding of the local newspapers.

Reports were made by chairmen, Mrs. John Blackmon, TV and radio; and Mrs. Eric Heinzman, recreation.

Presidents-elect were introduced before leaving for Sacramento to join some 5,000 delegates for the 65th annual convention of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers.

President of the month was awarded to Mrs. Kenneth Sulser, president of Peary Junior PTA. Second place, Mrs. Robert Pederson, San Pedro High PTA.

Tenth District meeting will be June 4, 10:00 to 12:00 a.m. at University High School, 11800 Texas Ave., West Los Angeles.

High School PTA's represented: Gardena, Banning, Carson, Narbonne, San Pedro. Junior High PTA's present: Peary Junior, Dana, Dodson, Fleming, Stephen White and Wilmington.

Other chairmen are: Mmes. William Sykes, devotional; J. Burchfield, publicity; Maude Price, cards; Earl Radford, telephone; Carrie Adlard, decorating; and Gaudia Millstead, kitchen.

The next meeting will be held June 4 in the recreation room at the Methodist church. A salad luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m.

**RN Card Party**  
Torrance Camp Royal Neighbors will sponsor a public card party Tuesday evening, May 26, at the Torrance Woman's Club, 1422 Engracia Ave.

Games will start at 8:15. Mrs. Louis Davis is hostess for the evening. There will be high score prizes, door prize and refreshments.

**Attend Meeting**  
Attending the Maub Ives 5 Jesterette luncheon meeting in Pacific Palisades last Wednesday were Mmes. Mae Jones, Fred Bever, and Margaret Hatch.



**TEACHER HELPERS** . . . Mmes. Gerry Felnagle, from left, Edward L. Hombordy, and Wallace Peterson, members of the Riviera School PTA Volunteer Teachers' Aid Program, display examples of the group's work during its two years of operation. The Hand-painted clock face, with moving hands, is one of 60 provided teachers at the primary level. More than 200 colored posters, similar to the one above, have been supplied by volunteer parents as visual aids.



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**FASHION MODELS** . . . David Smock and Sheri Flowers show modeling skills to Mmes. Betty Stilwell, from left, Wayne Smock and Royce Flowers in preview of Seaside Elementary School PTA Fashion Show which will be held May 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. Models will be students of Seaside and parents with all garments created by parents. The fashion show will follow the PTA business meeting and installation of 1964-65 officers. Mrs. Betty Stilwell is fashion show chairman.

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### Meets Monday

Past Noble Grands Club of the Torrance Rebekah Lodge will meet Monday evening, May 25, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Anna May Isbell, 1808 Andree. Stelma Norris is in charge of the meeting. Ruth Deems is co-hostess.

### To Ocean Park

Torrance Camp Royal Neighbors will attend a regular monthly Campaign meeting in Ocean Park on Wednesday evening, May 27. Important business matters will be discussed and all members are urged to attend.

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