

SOCIETY

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Editor

Harbor Section Scouts Attend Civic Luncheon

A tribute to Leaders was the theme when 175 Girl Scout Executives, leaders, committee members and guests attended the annual Harbor Section luncheon recently at the Civic Auditorium. The theme was interpreted by Adrian Swain, Brownie Scout from Troop 435; Diane Hinshaw, Intermediate Scout from Troop 1299; Joan Laskaris from Troop 1161 for Jr. High Scouts, and Doreen Pyle, President of the Jr.-Sr. Council of the Harbor Section, for Senior Scouts.

SENIOR TROOP

Senior Scout Troop 1161, whose leader is Mrs. Herbert Wood, conducted the Flag Ceremony, with Peggy Wood, Sergeant at Arms; Dana Cecil and Grace Maddy, Flag Bearers, and Joan Laskaris and Connie Ericson, Guards.

Mrs. Dean Orr, Section Chairman, introduced honored guests; Mrs. A. Morgan Mares, Jr., President of Los Angeles Council of Girl Scouts; Miss Pauline Underwood, Harbor Section's new Field Executive; Rev. Cecil England, who gave the invocation; Mrs. Elizabeth Brainard, assistant Field Executive; Mrs. Margaret Hegwood, from South Section and principal speaker; Mrs. Olive Dickson, retiring Field Executive, and Mrs. Frank Church, former Section Chairman.

A talk, stressing the valuable contribution leaders make in molding responsible citizens for tomorrow, was given by Mrs. Mares in paying their tribute.

NATIONAL CONVENTION
A report on the recent National Convention held in Boston was given by Mrs. Hegwood. Her comments on International friendship and Girl Scout work in foreign lands, were very reassuring.

Mrs. Church gave an impressive tribute to Mrs. Dickson when she presented a farewell gift from the leaders of the section.

Neighborhood Chairmen and leaders were introduced by the District Chairman who reported as follows: Mrs. John W. Alchin,

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Appoint Kiwanis 1952 Committees

Kiwanis Club of Torrance committees for 1952 were disclosed this week by the Torranian as follows:

Administration—Chuck Ragsdale, general chairman.
Attendance and Membership—Farrish, board counselor.
Attendance—Rippy (C), Clinkscale, Garrity, Barrington Sr., Clayton.

Membership—Meadway (C), Stroh, Paul, Morgan, Sears.
Finance—Gill, board counselor; Deininger (C), Meadway, McVicar, Ubricht.

House and Reception—Moritz, board counselor; Almond (C), Giacalone, Strand, Klink, McVaine, Chamberlain, Schultz Jr., Hitchcock.

Interclub Relations—King, board counselor; Newell (C), Chamberlain, Sowle, Clayton, Easley.

Education and Fellowship—Scottin, board counselor; Sears (C), McCall, Schultz Sr., Ubricht, Montague, Barrington Sr.

Laws and Regulations—Rippy, board counselor; Mewborn (C), Wenske, Anderson.

Programs and Music—Brown, board counselor; Spelman (C), Meier, Bobo, Rogers, McVaine, Barrington Jr., Oursler.

Public Relations—Moritz, board counselor; Morton (C), Brown, Bell, Doss.

Youth Services—Chuck Wallace, general chairman.
Boys and Girls Work—Hitchcock, board counselor; Lindner (C), Doss (Kids Day C), Laster, Almond, Stroh, Mewborn, Oursler, Schultz Jr., Meadway, Anderson.

Key Club—Eastham, board counselor; Haggard (C), Bishop, McVaine.

Underprivileged Child—Gill, board counselor; Laster (C), Easley, Grubbs, Clinkscale, Morton.

Vocational Guidance—King, board counselor; Bell (C), Strand, Schultz Sr., Mewborn, Barrington Jr., Backlund, Grubbs.

Citizenship Services—By Scottin, general chairman.

Public and Business Affairs—Smith, board counselor; Sears, Haggard, Lindner, Hull.

Support of Churches—Eastham, board counselor; Morgan (C), Wenske, Bergen, McCall.

APPOINTMENT MADE
J. Carlisle MacDonald, Assistant to Chairman, United States Steel Corporation, in Charge of Public Relations, today announced the appointment of John W. McDermott as Business Manager and Director of Personnel for U. S. Steel's Public Relations organization.



ACTRESS ROSEMARY DeCAMP, who doubles in real life as Mrs. John Shidler, had a dual role to be proud of this week. As a motion picture star, she was showered with praise by two magazines—Variety and the Hollywood Reporter. As a mother, she has three charming daughters. In the picture above, Mrs. Shidler is seated, holding Martha, five years old. At her left, stands Margaret, aged 9 and standing to her left is Valerie, aged four.

DeCamp, wife of Shidler Receives Acting Honors

Movie Actress Rosemary DeCamp, wife of Judge Shidler, had special honors showered upon her this week by two thespian trade magazines.

Both Variety and the Hollywood Reporter known as the measuring sticks in the acting profession were lavish in their praise of Miss DeCamp's dramatic ability in a Columbia motion picture, Scandal Sheet which is about to be released in first-run theaters throughout the country. It is a newspaper story based on the DARK PAGE.

VARIETY SAID: "There's a magnificent bit turned in by Rosemary DeCamp. Actress is only on screen for five minutes, but her's is the gem performance of the lot."

THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER pointed out: "Rosemary DeCamp's several scenes as the

68 to Receive Harbor Degree

Sixty-eight Delta students will receive their Associate in Arts degrees in fall semester graduation ceremonies to be held at Harbor Junior College on Thursday evening, January 31, Raymond D. Casey, Tech director, said today.

The majority of the Tech graduates are alumni of Harbor area high schools. Banning High School alumni receiving their degrees are Irene Marie Aguirre, Manuel Pacheco Alvarado, Edward Tyrus Anderson, Olive Lee Bell, Arthur Raymond Black, Wilmer Bliss, Victor F. Christensen, Kenneth E. Fontes, Joanne Eileen Holstein, Steve Kukulish, Erma Vivian Perez, James Joe Perez, Alline Beatrice Warthen, Ruth M. Adams and Mildred Irene Campbell.

NARBONNE HIGH

Narbonne High School alumni graduating are Arnold James Cole, Lillian Sue Cucci, Christine Holstrom, Robert B. Mack, Donald Underwood Park, Elsa Richter, Jack Kenneth Robertson, David Lee Scales, Robert Lee Smith, and Lowell Glenn Sumnerford.

Former San Pedro High School students graduating are Walter Thompson Baker, Teruji Goto, Willard Irving Johnson, Catherine Oriol, Joseph Palacios, Leonard E. Ring, Jessie Boerner, and Elizabeth G. Eberhardt.

Lone Gardena alumnus graduating is Don Higley.

ALUMNI

Alumni from other high schools graduating are Richard Chylinski, Nicholas T. DiGiuro, Carlos E. Dillenbeck, Merry S. Eschandi, Jerome Lionel Fluster, Maurice J. Kelly, Joseph Leonard Lingrey, Mike George Marinovich, Roy Lewis Miller, Henry Patrick Palmer, Robert C. Reuss, Raymond Jerome Sofer, Emogene Arthur, Lila Lucille Brown, Mary M. Cordes, Della Mae Easley, Janice Lee Giles, Patricia Ennis, Mildred M. Goojins, Jean C. Hamilton, Mary Dena Hankla, Pearl Lewis Hyde, Irma E. Jones, Dolly N. Johnson, Doris W. LaZalera, Ethel Plummer, Stella Riley, Maude E. Tindall, Beatrice Turner, Mary Wade, and Bonnie Williams.

for the past fifteen years.

Although her dramatic career has been an active one, as Mrs. John Shidler, she and the Judge have had a very successful and happy marriage.

Sgt. Wakefield Reports Barracks Fire in Japan

Kenny Wakefield deserves the title of special correspondent to the Torrance Press, stationed in Japan. It is the second time that the Press has received local news from the Far East through 21-year-old Wakefield. In a letter to his wife, Yvonne this week, he declared:

"I have something to tell you so that when you read it in the newspapers, don't worry about me."

CAMP ZAMA

"We really had a big fire at Camp Zama (Japan) last night (Dec. 26). It started at 2:30 in the morning and the last barracks to burn down was four hours later.

"There were eight barracks all together that burned down. Boy, were we lucky. Our barracks is the first in line, and we were the only ones in the line not to burn.

"All the guys in the barracks that burned just left everything and ran. Boy, did they lose a hell of a lot. The equipment and clothing and even a two-and-a-half-ton truck burned. They only cost about \$4000.

HOT ONE

"It was so hot that one of my wool shirts was scorched on one sleeve.

"The wind was blowing hard from one direction. The only thing that saved the number one building which is my barracks was that the wind suddenly switched, causing us to be saved.

"The other boys lost everything and were taken to another barracks to be fitted out."

In the same letter, he sent his newly-earned sergeant stripes home to his wife, Yvonne to their Torrance address at 1546 W. 204th street. Both Yvonne and Kenny Wakefield are graduates of Torrance High School.

John Stroh: "As soon as I saw you coming around the curve, I said to myself 'forty-five at least'."

Woman Driver: "Well, you're way off; it's this old hat that makes me look old."—Torranian

1952 Variety Show Opens January 23

Torrance High School's 1952 Variety Show will be presented by the student body in three performances on January 23, 24, and 25, Desmond Wedberg, faculty director, announced today.

Hanna, Nancy Ruthe Miller will Student director is Dwight serve as production manager.

Numbers on the show include "Opening in Torrance" with Buddy Powers, Joe Lafferty, Rochelle Scott, and Pat Dunmeyer; Richard Upland and Tom Long in "Moonlight Bay."

Carson P-TA Meets Today at 2:30 P.M.

Mrs. Jack Spence, president of the Carson Street P-TA, presided at a Board meeting, last Friday. Primary topic of discussion was the March of Dimes campaign. The group also sponsored a pot luck dinner for the teachers at noon.

Regular P-TA meeting will be held today at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Ben Cluff, press chairman reported. All parents are urged to attend.

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