

"Parade of Banners" Slated by Royal Neighbors for Campaign

Torrance Camp of Royal Neighbors announced a campaign theme for 1959 at the last meeting at the Woman's Club House, 1422 Engracia St., Jan. 27.

Each camp will be divided into two sides with a captain for each for the "Parade of Banners." Mrs. Susie Walker will be captain of the Torrance camp.

Mrs. Angeline Disario will have charge of the Poppy side.

The first campaign meeting will be held Feb. 20 at Redondo Beach. Each camp in the district will bring a banner and present a short song or skit.

Appointed as chairmen for the coming year are Mmes. Lucille Myers, cards; Angeline Disario, flowers; Sophia Duncan, gifts and Marie Koshak and Belba Brase as pro tem officers.

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Party Planned by Club

Plans for a Valentine party on Feb. 17 were made at the recent meeting of the JFF Club held at the home of Mrs. Eva E. Kelley.

Games were played with prizes going to Georgia Cramer and Ida Houn. Nell Crouilla was winner of the raffle.

TO ATTEND CONFAB

Dr. Allen Pyeatt of Torrance will be among delegates to the 34th annual Congress of the California Optometric Association in San Francisco Feb. 27 to Mar. 2.



HEARTS AND CUPIDS announce the eighth annual Valentine Ball of Torrance Memorial Hospital to be held at the Mayflower Ballroom, Inglewood, Feb. 14. From left, Mmes. Harold Hayes and Ben Kuchar check over some of the decorations. Others on the committee include

Mmes. W. C. Boswell, Olen Giles, Dean Virnden, Ben Smith, W. H. Wolf and H. F. Heinlein, chairman. Door prizes and a treasure chest will be awarded during the evening. A buffet supper will be served at midnight.

Bigger Social Security Checks Now Being Mailed

Increase in social security checks to about 40,000 people now on the old-age, survivors and disability insurance rolls in this area will go into mails as scheduled, J. G. Bretherton, manager of the

Long Beach social security district office, announced today. These are the payments for January, the first month to show the increased benefit amounts for old-age, survivors and dis-

ability insurance provided by 1958 amendments to the social security law. The general increase in benefits amounts is about 7 per cent.

Community Chest Drive Tops Last Year's by 18 Per Cent

Cleanup efforts by Community Chest volunteers has upped the Harbor Area total for the 1958 fund appeal to \$97,633.

Summarizing campaign results for the Welfare Federation area board, at a Palms restaurant meeting in Torrance, Glenn Koger, Area Chairman, congratulated residential volunteers on raising the overall percentage with an 18 percent increase over last year.

Only Harbor Area city over its quota was Rolling Hills, with 102.44 percent reported. In recognition of her outstanding achievement, Koger presented a Chest statuette to Mrs. Almeron J. Field, city chairman.

"Harbor Area really worked this year," Koger told fellow board members.

More calls were made than in any previous year, he disclosed, resulting in a 20 percent increase in the number of subscriptions and approximately \$10,000 more money raised, 10 percent more than the 1957 total.

"But that is not enough," he warned, "to meet minimum needs for operating 167 essential health and welfare services.

"If the Welfare Federation doesn't have enough money to meet constantly growing demands," he warned, "the only alternative is a reduction in service and lengthening lists of people waiting for help.

"Our job won't be finished," he concluded, "until we have combated the by-ways for every dollar we missed on earlier calls."

Besides Koger, presiding as first vice-chairman, board members present included Edward B.

Wicher, Palos Verdes; Miss Frances Dastarac, Lomita; Mrs. Thomas Burrow and Frode B. Kilstofte, Wilmington.

Others attending were Mrs. Lura LaPorte, Palos Verdes city chairman, and Tom Tracey, Torrance, area commerce and industry chairman.

Student President Wins Honors at College Banquet

Wall Becker, president of the Associated Students of El Camino College, became the second winner of the Forrest G. Murdock Award and the third student president to be installed for a second term at the semi-annual Student-Service Awards Banquet at the college Friday night.

Becker follows Paul Comi and Richard Duffey as a full-year occupant of the president's chair in the college Student Council.

As the second winner of the Murdock Award, he follows Harold Grantham, who won the award last spring. Grantham, chief justice of the student court, is now continuing his studies at Long Beach State College.

The Murdock Award, named for the first president of the college, is presented each semester on the basis of scholarship, leadership and service to the college.

K. Lyle O'Dell, president of Corona del Camino, outlined the activities of the honor group for students who have made outstanding contributions to student activities on campus and introduced fellow members, Miss Betty Kotwicki of Los Angeles, Dick Baker of Torrance and Becker.

Officers who will serve for the spring semester are Becker, ASB president; Miss Carol Hansen, vice president; John Gray, commissioner of activities; Bart Rowland, Torrance, commissioner of assemblies; Miss Lorna Hall, Torrance, commissioner of public relations; Allan Andrews, Torrance, commissioner of athletics; Dick White, commissioner of publications and Dick Smothers, commissioner of rallies.

Gateway Council PTA Presidents Hold Meeting

Mrs. John Kapu, president of Banning High PTA, was hostess in her home, 1622 Lakme Ave., Wilmington, for the January meeting of local unit presidents of Gateway Council.

Mrs. E. G. Croom, council president led discussion of proposed revisions of by-laws to be voted upon at the Founders Day meeting, Stephen M. White Junior High, Feb. 19.

Other presidents in attendance were Mmes. Milton Johnson, Joseph B. Butler, Waldo E. Marois, David P. Goolsby, Joe Kibata, Peter Costa Jr., Oscar Smith and Glade Murchison.

Following lunch, a meeting of the nominating committee was held. Members are: Mmes. John Blackmon, Harry G. Foat Jr., Harry T. Ishimoto and Joel Steele. Election of officers will take place March 2. Nominations will be made from the floor.

The Honorary Life Membership committee headed by Mrs. Thomas Burrow includes: Mmes. W. K. Allen, John Hackett, and Louis Miller with Mrs. Croom as ex-officio member. Honorary Life Membership will be conferred at the Founders Day celebration, Fleming Junior High, Feb. 2.

Patterson, second vice-chairman; Dr. Frances N. Clark, Thurmon A. Crosswhite, Robert Johnston, director, Catholic Maritime Club, agency participation chairman; Rodney F. Smith, Kersey E. Stamps, all of San Pedro.

Also, Mrs. A. J. Field, Portuguese Bend; Mrs. Donald Armstrong and Mrs. Wallace Leib-

CONVERSION CONTRACT
American Airlines has contracted with Douglas Aircraft Company for conversion of ten of the airline's fleet of DC-7B passenger airplanes to jetcraft.

The total cost of the program will be \$4,250,000 according to the announcement today by C. R. Smith, the airline's president.

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T. Feb. 5, 12, 19, 26.

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ZONE EXCEPTION CASE NO. 5006-4

A PUBLIC HEARING in the matter of a request for an exception to the A-1 (Light Agriculture) Zone in order to establish, operate and maintain an addition to the water distribution plant located at 502 East 213th Street, being the southeast corner of 213th Street and Grace Street, in the Carson Zoned District, Los Angeles County, will be held before the Zoning Board, in the Regional Planning Commission hearing room, Los Angeles County Engineering Building, 138 West Second Street, Los Angeles, on Thursday, February 19, 1959, at 9:00 a.m., at which time proponents and opponents of proposed use will be heard.

ARTHUR J. BAUM
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Director of Planning
THE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
County of Los Angeles

Publish in Torrance Press on Feb. 5, (Thursday) 1959.

Seek Sunshades

A recommendation that sunshades be installed on the north end of the Adult Center shuffleboard court, with the Adult Club paying \$200, was made to the City Council by the Park and Recreation Commission.

Cost of the improvement was estimated at \$383.

Psychologists Certified

Three Torrance area psychologists were certified under a new Psychological Certification Act to end "diploma mill" abuses of the profession.

They are William J. Brodsky and John Richard Broe of Torrance, and Morris W. Bulwa of Harbor City.

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