



A TRIO OF TALENT, winners of the Torrance Area Youth Band competition from left: Patricia Ann Patterson, piano; Peter Bailey, violin, and Ronnie Van Dyck, clarinet, play for Torrance Junior, Mrs. B. F. Townsend. The young musicians will receive \$100 scholarships at the Juniors' Wednesday installation banquet and appear as soloists at the 13th anniversary concert May 23 at El Camino College.



A GOOD CAUSE is supported by the Civinettes as they prepare to present a \$25 check for donation to the Therapeutic Pool fund of the Harbor Area Therapy Unit for Handicapped Children, Inc. From left: Mmes. Kenneth Christofferson, secretary, and Henry M. West, president, pose with the check for the fund part of the international project of the Civinette Club.

### Walteria PTA Sets Ice Cream Social Date

A big day is planned by Walteria PTA for May 4 when an ice-cream social will be held at 6 p.m.

Mrs. Michael Malia, Ways and Means Chairman, is organizing the event which will include Bin-

go and plenty of ice-cream and pie. At the last meeting of the PTA a capacity crowd attended to hear the school band in a program titled "Music, Music, Music." Following, Mrs. Cass Russak, presided over a business meeting that saw ten delegates selected to attend the 33rd District convention in Santa Monica, April 17. Nominated were Mmes. Cass Russak, Don Hardy, Russ Baxley, Robert Schrauben, Robert Spangler, Donald Adams, Willy Allen, A. D. Baty, Peggy Randall, and Mr. Jim Birmingham.

Announcement was made of the swing of the show "Thunderbird, Son of Flicka" for the following Saturday.

Host and hostess for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. James C. Wass, parents from Mrs. Porter's room. Mrs. Porter's room won the attendance prize for the fourth time this year.

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### Foursquare Church Fetes Dr. Marion Plies

Dr. Marion D. Plies, pastor of the Harbor City Foursquare Church, corner of 254th and Belle Porte, celebrated her eighteenth anniversary as pastor recently. Highlight of the day was a note-burning ceremony at the morning worship service, Dr. Earl Dorrance, California District Supervisor of the Foursquare Gospel Churches officiating.

The Church has realized a growth in membership, in church facilities, and has seen a Christian Day School, accommodating pre-kindergarten through the twelfth grade, established under the direction of Dr. Plies. At this time it is the second largest Christian Day School in the California Association of Christian Schools.

The newest Department of the church to organize is the Council of Foursquare Men, which will have its first meeting Tues-

### "Seven Wonders"

"Seven Wonders of Heaven," will be the subject of Rev. W. F. Alexander, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Gardena, 158th and Brighton Ave., Gardena.

Soloist for the morning service will be Milton McElyea.

Junior Church under the leadership of Mrs. Lena Crader is conducted at the 11 a.m. service. Sunday school for all ages will be held at 9:45 a.m. under the leadership of Edgar Rayner.

### Missionary to Speak at Lomita Church

Rev. Clarence Birkey, Foreign Missions Secretary of the Missionary Church Association, with headquarters at Fort Wayne, Indiana, will speak at the Lomita Missionary Church, 2043 Lomita Blvd., on Friday evening, April 17. The service will begin at 7:30.

Birkey served for twenty-seven years as a missionary to the Belgian Congo and French Equatorial Africa. He has recently toured in French West Africa and visited fields of his denomination in Sierra Leone, Africa, Ecuador, South America, and in the West Indies.

While serving as field chairman on the Congo, he was twice decorated by the King of Belgium.

Also taking part in the service will be Rev. Tillman Habegger, President of the Missionary Church Association. Rev. Habeg-

### Open House at High

A large number of interested parents and guests attended the South High School Open House April 7. The Open House was preceded by a short PTA business meeting. Election of PTA officers resulted in the following slate: Mrs. R. C. Williams, president; Mrs. Paul Roettger, first vice president; Mrs. John Hamilton, second vice president; Mrs. John Black, third vice president; Mrs. Robert Edwards, recording secretary; Mrs. H. J. Tye, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Albert Yackie, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Jackson, historian; Jack Wilts, auditor.

Following the meeting, student hosts and hostesses presented numerous displays, projects and took part in panels and forums. Pie and cake were sold by the PTA, proceeds to be given to the Scholarship and Hospitality funds.

ger will have just returned from visiting the Missionary Churches in the Hawaiian Islands.

### Baptist Church Summer Program

Calvary Baptist Church, 2818 Manhattan Beach Blvd., will have an extensive Summer Activity program this year. April 20th the Workers' Conference has invited all of the parents of the Junior, Junior High and Senior High Departments of the Sunday School to attend a presentation of the Summer Schedule of Activities.

Rev. Wayne Murphy, Director of Camps for the Southern California Baptist Convention, principal speaker, will show colored pictures of the 1000 Pines Camp. Jim Chester, chairman of the Board of Christian Education, and Director of the Day Camp will show pictures of last summer's Day Camp at Point Firmin, San Pedro.

Announcement will be made of an "Open House" for Primary children this summer, running for two weeks and offering a reading program, games, crafts,

music and a Bible story hour for children aged 6 to 9.

Vacation Bible School will be held from July 6 to 17. Day Camp will be held August 25-30.

### OBITUARIES

BRADSHAW, ARTHUR FRANK, age 74, of 2825 Gramercy, native of England. Service will be held April 20, 1959, at HALVERSON LEAVELL MORTUARY CHAPEL, Interment, Green Hills Memorial Park. Survived by his wife, Rose Bradshaw, three daughters, Mrs. Emily E. Kinstain, Mrs. Ross Morris and Mrs. Florence Beasley, three sons, Arthur, John and Fred, 10 grandchildren.

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