



WITH LITTLE TIME to prepare for the recent scholarship offered by the Torrance area Youth Bands, pert Patricia Patterson walked off with the award in competition with eight other young pianists. Here the talented miss is shown looking over the \$10 award certificate.

Concert Debut Seen for Young Prodigy

"A little prodigy," that is how former concert pianist Paul Stoye of Palos Verdes terms his pupil of two years, 12-year-old Patricia Patterson of Lomita.

Stoye, 81, who has taught many students during his career, believes he has found something unusual in the talent of the pretty 12-year-old.

Patricia's recent scholarship award won at the competitions of the Torrance Youth Band came as no surprise to her teacher.

With highly successful career as a concert pianist, teacher and composer, Stoye's excitement over her progress makes a debut in the musical world a near-certainty.

A former member of the Royal Conservatory of Music at Leipzig and the University of Heidelberg, plus many years at Drake University, Stoye already is arranging a series of concert recitals for Patricia this fall.

With all her practice, Patricia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Patterson, 1767 West 245th St., Lomita, still manages to maintain an A average in the seventh grade at Howard Wood Elementary School.

Stoye, well known in music circles, toured Europe as a concert pianist for 14 years and has judged many auditions of the National Guild of Piano Teachers. He still coaches teachers preparing students for concert appearances.

Heart Chapter to Meet

Next general meeting of the Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer Chapter of Mount Sinai Hospital and Clinic will be held May 13, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Selma Bloomberg, 1151 Harkness, Manhattan Beach.

A short business session will be followed by a social hour, according to Mrs. William Sloan of Torrance, president, who also announces a board meeting, May 5, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ada Yetra, 907 So. Catalina Ave., Redondo Beach.

Dr. Holmes to Speak at Church Anniversary

The fourth anniversary of the San Pedro Church of Religious Science will be celebrated with dinner at the Hacienda Hotel, 301 S. Western Ave., May 15 at 7 p.m.

Dr. Ray Anger, minister, announces that Dr. Ernest Holmes, founder of the Religious Science

movement and author of the book "Science of Mind" will be the guest speaker. His top will be "Religious Science: Its Principle and Practice."

Juanita McCollum, recording artist and church soloist, will be accompanied by George Goulding, organist at the Dr. Hornaday church.

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Intermediate Week Observed at Church

The First Baptist Church of Lomita observed Intermediate week with high attendance in Sunday School and Church Training Union.

The Church has removed two buildings and many large trees to make way for the new two-story Educational Building. Volunteer workers will come to the

Church at 8 a.m., May 9, to begin the foundation.

The architectural drawings were made by the Baptist Sunday School Board in Nashville and completed in detail by Richardson

J. Twohy, local architect. Edward Hall, of 2025 W. 259th Place, Lomita is the church elected Building Supervisor. The ladies of the church will serve dinner at 12 a.m. to the men assisting

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