

## Mrs. Hansford To Head Dianas

Newly elected president of the Redondo Beach Dianas, California Federation of Women's Clubs, Marina District, Junior Membership is Mrs. John Hansford.

A native of Akron, Ohio, Mrs. Hansford received her education in Phoenix, Arizona, and has been a Torrance resident for the past twelve years. She and her husband have three children: Jacque, Terry, and Gary.

During her membership in Dianas Mrs. Hansford has served as Americanism chairman, youth chairman, philanthropy, first vice president, president's aide, bowling chairman, and year book chairman. District chairmanships she has held include: Americanism chairman, financial secretary, and build-a-better community chairman for the past two years. She is presently chairman for the 1962-63 convention to be held at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel Friday and Saturday, May 3 and 4.

In addition, Mrs. Hansford has been den mother for the

past two years and held the job of secretary of a Cub Scout Park for one year.

At present she is secretary for the Torrance American Little League and bulletin chairman for the Torrance Little League Auxiliary.

Mrs. Hansford is also a Room Mother and incoming first vice president of the Calle Mayor PTA.

Elected to serve with Mrs. Hansford are: Mmes. Eldon Pratt and Eric Lindgren, vice presidents; Arthur Callen, philanthropy; Miss Sara Mitchell, recording secretary; Mmes. Mary Williams, corresponding secretary; Anthony Credico, treasurer; Robert Carrington, hostess; and Martin Galos, membership.

Also serving will be: Mmes. Joe Carrier, press; D. J. Gleason, federation extension secretary; Sheldon Goldenson; parliamentarian; James McPherson, civic service; A. L. Hammond, Daisy Oden Geary, and Winifred Van Gilder, coordinators from the Women's Club and evening division.



MRS. JOHN HANSFORD To head Dianas (photo by Carrington)

## Fulton Lewis to Speak

Fulton Lewis III will be the guest speaker at the meeting of the Torrance Federated Republican Women's Club May 1. The meeting will be held at 10 a.m. at the new Torrance Recre-

ation Building at Torrance Blvd. and Madrona Ave. Donation will be \$1.50.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Marion Maxim, FR 1-1047, or Ida Smith, FR 1-6390.

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PAPER STORK will highlight decorations at a baby gift shower to be presented Wednesday by the Long Beach Council of Auxiliaries to the Children's Home Society of California. Honored guests will be 18 boarding mothers.

Representing Torrance will be Sir Beaumain's Auxiliary. Pictured are (l-r) Mmes. John Blythe, Sir Beaumain; Clyde Longworth, Palos Verdes Pepper; and Sherwood Seapy, Beach Pixies. —PRESS photo

## Adoptive Auxiliaries To Sponsor Baby Shower

Sir Beaumain's Auxiliary to Children's Home Society of California will participate in a baby shower Wednesday honoring 18 boarding mothers employed by the adoption agency.

The event to be held at the home of Mrs. Paul Grandle, Long Beach, will feature May baskets as decorations.

Five auxiliaries who compose the Long Beach Council of Auxiliaries to the Society are pooling efforts to fete the "temporary" mothers. They are: Sir Beaumain's of Torrance, Palos Verdes Peppers of the Peninsula area, and Beach Pixies of the beach cities. The Seabrights and Lamplighters of Long Beach complete the council.

It is the practice of Children's Home Society to place newborn charges in boarding homes when they leave the hospital. Living in a family atmosphere for a period of two to six weeks before being placed in their permanent adoptive homes gives the babies the immediate love and attention not always found in group nursery, according to Mrs. Joseph Blaikie, newly-elected president of Sir Beaumain's Auxiliary.

Members attending from Sir Beaumain's will be: Mmes. Richard Kolebuck, John Blythe, Richard Farrell, Russell Rettig, and Thomas Tucker. Beach Pixies will send Mmes. Gabriel Sinos, Sherwood Seapy, John Roehl, Oliver Berthoud, and Richard Thompson. Palos Verdes Peppers attending will be: Mmes. Clyde Longworth, John W. Thomas, Lloyd Armstrong, Edwin Gilroy, and Wayne Hawk.

Sir Beaumain's are in

charge of publicity; Beach Pixies, May baskets; Palos Verdes Peppers, invitations. The Long Beach auxiliaries are completing arrangements for the baby shower.

Miss Dorothy Rude, director of the Long Beach office, Children's Home Society of California, will assist in honoring boarding mothers of her area.

Unwrapped baby items will be presented by attending auxiliaries. The 18 honorees will choose items they need for the care of the infants in their charge.

Miss Rude reports that since the area office opened in January, 1962, it has placed 66 children in adoptive homes. All offices throughout the state placed 1,019 children for adoption during 1962. They also helped 400 natural parents keep their children during the same period, she stated.

The Society is a member of the Community Chest. Anyone interested in adoption may contact the Long Beach office at 125 East 14th, Long Beach 13, California.

### MAY DAY FASHIONS

Spring Manor, retirement hotel at 20900 Earl Street in Torrance, will present their second Senior Citizens Fashion Show "May Day Fashions," Wednesday, in the main dining room from 2:30 to 4 p.m.

Latest fashions from the Modern Woman Shop in the South Bay Shopping Center, Redondo, will be shown.

Senior Citizens models are from the Rosecrans Ramblers of Gardena, headed by Mrs. Elsa Stone. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited.

## Woman's Club To Enjoy Piano Concert

Wallace R. Herrewig, minister of music of First Lutheran Church of Torrance, will be heard in a piano concert at 2 p.m. Wednesday when he appears for the Torrance Woman's Club, Marina District 18, CFWC at their clubhouse.

Mr. Herrewig is a conductor, composer - arranger, teacher and pianist. He has served for 23 years on a number of churches in Southern California and commissions whose objectives were to further understanding and use of the many arts in worship. He has conducted festivals, presented choirs on radio and television, and written articles on music.

Assisting Mr. Herrewig will be Joan Hoffer, contralto soloist of First Presbyterian Church, Inglewood.

Following the business meeting and program a silver tea will be held. Committee for the tea is the Mmes. C. L. Porter, F. C. Owens, Charles Ward and Ervin Moudy.



INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS of Torrance Chapter, City of Hope will highlight a luncheon Wednesday at the Jump 'n Jack Restaurant. Pictured (l-r) Mmes. John Arensmyer, first vice-president; E. O. Erickson, recording secretary; H. S. Rogers, second vice-presi-

dent; Bert Lynn, president; and Henry Levine, third vice-president. Not shown are Mrs. Frank Sciarrotta, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Mack Brown, treasurer. Installing officer will be Sam Levy. —PRESS photo



GREETING FRESHMAN MOTHER, Mrs. Wendell Towell (right) at the annual North High P.T.A. Freshman Mothers Tea are (l-r): Mmes. James Bramlett, chair-

man; William Wells, president; and William Cassida, president-elect. The event took place Thursday afternoon at the school cafeteria. —PRESS photo



KEEPING SHARP EYE on trophy to be presented to winter league winners tomorrow at a luncheon to be held at Caesars Restaurant are members of Victor Womens Club bowling group, (l-r) Mmes. Donald Porter, secretary; Kenneth Tilling, incoming president;

and William Reed, outgoing president. Highlighting the luncheon event will be a fashion show. In addition to Mrs. Tilling, summer league officers include Mrs. Glenn Putnam, vice-president, and Mrs. Paul Zachan, secretary. —PRESS photo