

SOCIETY

JOINT BIRTHDAY PARTY ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

A joint birthday surprise party in honor of Mrs. James L. King and J. B. Johnson was held at the Johnson home, 1315 Amapola avenue, New Year's eve. Mrs. King's and Mr. Johnson's birthday anniversaries both fall on Jan. 1. Guests who enjoyed the evening of games and dancing were Mrs. Ray Sykes of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Al Harder, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paour, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Finster, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. May, Mr. and Mrs. Verno Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Paxton, Miss Mary Elizabeth Israel, Miss Lois Lingenfelter, James Scott, R. J. Deininger, Mr. and Mrs. King, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

MRS. DOLLEY HOSTESS AT SURF AND SAND CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dolley of Manuel avenue entertained at dinner at the Surf and Sand Club Sunday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. John Teator and Mrs. Anna Brown, of Hagerstown, Ind., and Mrs. Arthur Champlin of Anderson, Ind.

NEW YEAR'S DINNER AT MACKENZIE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mackenzie of Gramercy avenue were hosts at

TORRANCE NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Richhart of San Fernando were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Tomkins of Gramercy avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brady of Los Angeles were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bradford of Amelia street.

Mrs. F. M. Reavie has returned from a visit with friends at Huntington Beach, and is again a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Woodington, of Arlington avenue.

a delightful dinner New Year's day, when places were indicated for Mrs. Catherine Moll of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bonnell of Hollywood, and Miss Boasen of San Pedro.

MRS. BATH HOSTESS TO W. B. A. OFFICERS

The officers of the Women's Benefit Association were entertained last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Bath of 22011 street. The ladies all report a very enjoyable evening.

SHRINERS TO ATTEND EL RIGHTEM SOCIAL

A number of local Shriners plan to attend El Righem Shrine Club's first social entertainment of the year—a pilgrimage to Mt. Lowe Monday, Jan. 11. The Shrine special will leave Torrance at 1:25 p.m. Supper will be served at 4 o'clock, and dancing will keep up until midnight.

MR. AND MRS. HOGE NEW YEAR'S HOSTS

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hoge of Arlington avenue entertained at an enjoyable New Year's eve party. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Millars of Hollywood, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Higgins, and Miss Helma Greenlund.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dolley of Manuel avenue attended a New Year's eve party in Los Angeles. Mrs. Clarence Kiefer and daughter Barbara, of San Pedro, were guests Tuesday of Mrs. W. E. Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurum Reeve and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reeve and family, and Mrs. Lucy M. Reeve picnicked at Orange County Park New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carle Covert of Camino Real spent Sunday with Mr. Covert's aunt, Miss Minnie Carle, of Spokane, Wash. Miss Carle is spending the winter in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mackenzie of Gramercy avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bonnell of Hollywood, Mrs. Catherine Moll of Michigan, and Miss Boasen of San Pedro enjoyed a motor trip to Escondido Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dexter of Los Angeles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Acree of Gramercy avenue.

Fred Thomas and a friend, of Los Angeles, were weekend guests of Mr. Thomas' sister, Mrs. A. W. Clark.

Reports of different departments given at the semi-annual Christian Church meeting and dinner last Sunday, show a substantial increase in membership and attendance, and decided financial gains, both for missions and local expense.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lepkin and son, of Sartori avenue, attended a Los Angeles theatre Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Zeller called on Miss Nancy and Gordon Shearer of Los Angeles Monday, both of whom are recovering from a serious attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goss of Los Angeles were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Weir Atwood of Border avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kingsley of Flint, Mich., arrived in Torrance Tuesday, and are guests at the home of their son, W. Harold Kingsley, of 1333 Engracia avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley will remain here for the balance of the winter.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Four babies have made their advent here since the beginning of 1926.

A daughter was born Jan. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mann of 1011 Portola avenue; twin sons were presented to Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Howard of 1307 Cota avenue; and to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Austin of 2321 Redondo boulevard was born a son. Mr. Austin is a member of the High School faculty.

Roy Sidebottom, who has been nursing a broken arm, returned to his home in Lomita Wednesday.

BRIEF NEWS

The Torrance Relief Society announces that it wishes to sell for a Torrance woman an electric rotary White sewing machine. The machine is practically new and may be purchased at a reasonable price. Anyone interested is requested to communicate with Mrs. Nettie Steinhilber, 1516 Post avenue, phone 217-J.

An ordinance amending traffic regulations in Torrance was passed by the Board of Trustees Monday night. The amendment stipulates that the board may from time to time establish boulevard and school stops and parking zones without amending the traffic ordinance.

The ladies of the Christian Church are serving a delicious supper (at cost) every Wednesday evening at 6:30. A unique feature of the special study on "Stewardship" is the jury which clubs on the debates held in different phases of the subject. Rev. B. H. Lingenfelter is "judge," and the "attorneys" vary at each meeting.

J. S. Cleveland, formerly employed at the glass factory here, is reported to be critically ill at the General Hospital in Los Angeles.

The Mothers' Educational Center has been postponed until Feb. 5.

Funeral services were held in Stockton Saturday for Mrs. S. F. Lonigan, who passed away last Wednesday in Los Angeles. Mrs. Lonigan was the mother of George Lonigan, a former resident of Torrance, and well known to former residents of Stockton now living here.

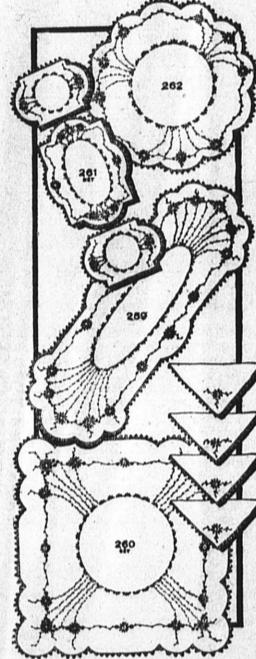
J. A. Smith Sells \$20,000 Worth of Land in WALTERIA

The sale of \$20,000 worth of property at WALTERIA is reported from the J. A. Smith real estate office. Other sales involving smaller amounts have been made through other agencies during the past ten days. Looks like things are "pickin' up."

Rappaport's DEPARTMENT STORE
Torrance

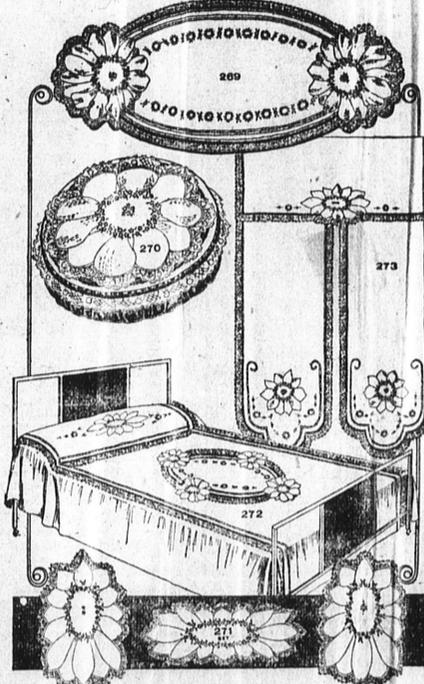
Announce the Arrival of the New Royal Society Line for Spring

ROYAL SOCIETY EMBROIDERY PACKAGE OUTFITS



White Clover Bleach
259 18x45-inch Scarf 85c
260 5 Piece Set \$1.60
261 3 Piece Set 75c
262 24-inch Center 65c

ROYAL SOCIETY EMBROIDERY PACKAGE OUTFITS



Boudoir Set
269 20x45-inch Scarf 85c
271 3-Piece Set 60c
273 Curtains \$2.00

French Rose and White Lawn
270 Pillow 85c
272 Bedspread \$4.00

ROYAL SOCIETY EMBROIDERY PACKAGE OUTFIT



250 Green Voile 30c

ROYAL SOCIETY Embroidery Package Outfit



291 Gown \$2.00
White Nainsook

Sale of Reconditioned Ford Cars During Ford National Show Week - January 8 to 16

To popularize the Ford National Show Week, we are offering some REMARKABLE BARGAINS in Re-conditioned FORD CARS.

These cars have all been gone over by our mechanics and put in first class running order. In many instances the cars have been repainted. Look this list over, and remember, no matter how low the prices may seem, that the good name of SCHULTZ, PECKHAM and SCHULTZ is behind every car and that we are guaranteeing the car to be EXACTLY AS REPRESENTED. Now for the BARGAINS:

- 1923 FORD TOURING, Duco finish, thoroughly overhauled. \$225
Sale price
- 1923 FORD TOURING, new paint, good tires, looks and runs like new. Sale price \$240
- 1923 FORD TOURING, thoroughly reconditioned, new top and new paint. Sale price \$165
- 1924 FORD TOURING, new paint. \$235
Good buy
- 1920 FORD TOURING. \$40
Well worth the money
- 1921 FORD TOURING. \$50
Another good old car
- 1924 FORD COUPE, equipped with Michelin Comfort cord tires, paint like new, rides like a Pullman. Sale price \$350
- 1924 FORD COUPE, balloon tires, Ruckstel axle, runs like a million—Speed! Oh Boy! Sale price \$382.50
- 1923 FORD COUPE, new paint, lots of extras. \$197.00
Sale price
- 1923 FORD COUPE, lots of extras, in A-1 condition. \$228
Sale price
- 1920 FORD ROADSTER, new paint. \$50
Sale price
- 1924 FORD TU-DOR SEDAN, Duco paint, maroon color, late 1924 model. This is a beauty. Let us demonstrate it. Well worth \$450. Sale price \$350
- 1923 FORD DELIVERY CAR. Cost us \$299.82. \$165
Yours during this sale at
- 1023 FORD DELIVERY CAR \$215
- AND OH LOOK!—Last but not least, a nice little FORD ROADSTER at \$20

These Cars on Sale Beginning Fri. Jan. 8 Schultz, Peckham & Schultz

Authorized Ford Dealers
Torrance

514 Cabrillo Ave.

Phone 137

State Bank Here Is Sold to L. A. Group, Is Rumor

It is rumored that the National City Bank of Los Angeles has purchased a controlling interest in the State Bank of Lomita.

Rena Carrigan Is Arrested Monday

Mrs. Rena Carrigan was arrested Monday night by members of the county dry squad, and arraigned in the justice court Wednesday. Mrs. Carrigan pleaded not guilty to the charge of possessing liquor, and will have a jury trial Jan. 29. Bail was set at \$500, which Mrs. Carrigan furnished.

Mystery Accident In WALTERIA AREA

Investigating a report received late Saturday evening that a wreck had occurred at WALTERIA, Constable Taber found a Ford coupe standing "on its nose" at the side of the road. One of the rear wheels was smashed. Witnesses stated that two girls who were in the machine had been picked up by a passing motorist and that the "boy" who was with them had disappeared on the run. There was no registration slips or other marks of identification on the car. Constable Taber notified the sheriff's office of the accident, giving the engine and license numbers.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Luck of Palm street at a delightful New Year's dinner were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sharp, Miss Mildred Roepke and Charles Roepke, of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Herzog of Gardena, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Luck of 2527th street.

Baker Smith
Carson Street
Jeweler
Swiss Watch Repairing a Specialty

Mr. and Mrs. William Gascoigne and daughter, of Gramercy avenue, spent New Year's day in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woodington of Arlington avenue and their

cent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Larter of Huntington Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen attended Watch Night services at the West Hollywood Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lessing and sons, of Arlington avenue, were New Year's visitors in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Sara Clark was a holiday and weekend guest of Mrs. L. W. Thomas of Los Angeles.

FREE 15 Days' Interest

ALL ACCOUNTS OPENED WITH THIS ASSOCIATION BEFORE JANUARY 15, 1926, WILL BEAR INTEREST FROM JANUARY 1, 1926

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\$100.00 OPENS A 6% ACCOUNT

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