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Gardena Realtor Killed in Crash

Vernor Gray, a Gardena realtor, was killed Thursday in an automobile accident near Gardena. It is asserted that he turned in the path of an oncoming speeding car and was struck. He lived from the time of the accident, which occurred in the early morning, until about 4:30 Thursday afternoon, when he died without regaining consciousness.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Methodist church in Gardena with interment in Roosevelt Memorial Park. He is survived by his widow and four children, two boys and two girls, the youngest of which is 15.

Mr. Gray had been a resident of Gardena for many years, and was very well known there and in Torrance. He was a member of the Masonic lodge, and funeral services were conducted by Masons. Many Torrance Masons attended the funeral.

P.E. Shop Foreman, Old Employee, Dies

Employees of the Pacific Electric shops this week were mourning the loss of their fellow-worker J. G. Liston, who was buried Monday. Mr. Liston was assistant shop superintendent and general foreman, having been in the employ of the company and its predecessors since 1890.

SOCIETY

WHAT'S ON IN TORRANCE

 Today, May 31—Torrance Relief, 8 a. m. of C. Brotherhood.
 Saturday, June 1—Job's Daughters.
 Sunday, June 2—Services in all churches.
 Monday, June 3—Directors' meeting, C. of C. Public invited. E. of C. Brotherhood Dinner, Altar Society.
 Tuesday, June 4—Odd Fellows, Woodmen, Trustees, Baptist Ladies' Union, American Legion Auxiliary.
 Wednesday, June 5—Masons, Moose, Women's Club.
 Thursday, June 6—Central Evangelical Guild, W. B. C., Episcopal Ladies' Auxiliary, Lutheran Ladies' Aid.

500 PARTY GIVEN AT CORVELL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Corvell entertained at 500 Saturday evening in honor of their 18th wedding anniversary.

A late supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott, Mr. and Mrs. W. West of Torrance, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wheaton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson and Miss Viola Wheaton of Lomita.

MRS. EVA KELLY IS QUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. Eva Kelly was guest of honor at a delightful farewell party on the evening of her departure for a vacation in New Mexico and Texas.

The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Squires, 1049 E. Island avenue, Wilmington, and the guests included members of the ladies choir of the First Christian church of Wilmington. Mrs. Kelly was presented with a handsome purse.

Present at the affair were Rev. and Mrs. Charles Swift, Miss Mary Eugene Swift, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. Stamper, Mrs. M. K. Patterson, Mrs. V. W. Wilkinson, Mrs. R. L. Hill and daughter, Fautina; Mrs. F. M. McBurney, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Charles H. Clark and daughter Helen of Weston street, Mrs. Kelly and the hosts.

BETHY ROSS STARS WILL GIVE LUNCHEON

Bethy Ross Star Club will give a bridge luncheon Monday, June 3 at the Masonic Temple for members of the Eastern Star and their friends.

Tickets are 50 cents. There will be 500 as well as bridge, and those who cannot stay for cards are cordially invited to attend the luncheon.

ROTARY PICNIC AT TWIN LAKES FRIDAY

About 30 Rotarians and Rotary Annas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sammons at Twin Lakes at a picnic party last Friday night. Supper was served on a long table out of doors. After the refreshments bridge was enjoyed at the Sammons mountain home.

MISS DOROTHY VAUGHN WEDS TORRANCE MAN

Miss Dorothy Vaughn, here recently from New York state and Richard Faulkner were married May 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gilliland, 14 1/2 Bell street, Los Angeles. Rev. Gilliland read the ceremony in the presence of about 20 guests. All members of the immediate families of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Faulkner, who, until her marriage made her home with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Lomita, is a member of the Lomita telephone force.

Mr. Faulkner, well known in Torrance and Lomita is the son of Mrs. Jennie Faulkner, 2867 Sonoma avenue, and brother of Miss Lillian Faulkner of the Torrance telephone exchange. He has been an employee of the Gardena Milling company for the past 13 months.

The newlyweds are making their home in Thompson Court, on Redondo-Wilmington boulevard, Lomita.

MRS. STANLEY ABBOTT HONORS MRS. ATWOOD

Mrs. Stanley Abbott of Carson street entertained Friday evening, at a store shower, honoring Mrs. Weir Atwood.

The guests spent a delightful evening at the fashioning of a "baby book." Mrs. Atwood was the recipient of many dainty gifts.

At the affair were Mrs. Emma Goodell, Los Angeles; Mrs. Mabel Goss of Hollywood; Mrs. Nelson Dickerson of Gardena; Mrs. Atwood; Mrs. Jennie Roelofs; Mrs. Frank Porter; Mrs. Victor Buecker; Mrs. Ray Arnold; Mrs. J. O. Terry; Mrs. Albert Imoles; Mrs. Harold Buck and Mrs. Claude Montgomery of Miss LeVonne Hall.

Mr. Montgomery set a precedent for stock showers when he entertained the husbands of the party at cards at his home on Arlington avenue. The gentlemen presented Mr. Atwood with a gift in keeping with the occasion.

MISS GREENLUND IS GIVEN A SURPRISE

The birthday of Miss Ruth Greenlund was the inspiration of a charming surprise dinner, last Thursday evening at the Harbor Cafe, Wilmington. Hugo F. Schmidt was host.

Flowers and gladioli were combined in an effective motif of pink and white. A beautiful decorated birthday cake bore the requisite number of candles (more or less). The elaborate six-course menu

Women's Club to Elect on June 5

The final election for officers for the Torrance Women's club will be held at the club house Wednesday, June 5, from 12:30 to 2:00 p. m.

The candidates for office are: second vice president, Mrs. Jessie Reeve; corresponding secretary, Mrs. S. C. Collins, auditor, Emma Briney, treasurer, Mary Lewis; directors, Florence Peckham, Carrie Parks and Jennie Roelofs.

Torrance Man Buys Newspaper

The April number of the United States Publishers Magazine contains the following reference to a former Torrance citizen:

"H. A. Clay of Torrance, Calif., for twenty years publisher of the Christian County Republican at Oark, Mo., has purchased the Billings (Mo.) Times from Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Sullivan, who will devote their time to the writing of feature stories and fiction."

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CHURCH NEWS

Church notices, to be assured of publication, should be in The Herald-News office before 5 p. m. Tuesday. Every effort is made to publish them all, but occasionally when they are late it is impossible.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Weston and Walnut streets, Lomita. Mathwig, Elder.
 Sabbath school, 3 p. m.
 Preaching service, 3 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

CATHOLIC

Weston street, Lomita.
 Father Bradley, pastor.
 Mass celebrated Sundays at 8:30 a. m.
 Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
 Rev. D. Hurley, pastor.
 Mass celebrated Sundays at 7:30 and 9:45 a. m.
 Sunday school, 9 a. m. Sunday and 10 a. m. Saturday.
 Benediction, 7:30, Sunday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST TORRANCE

Women's clubhouse, Engracia avenue.
 Sunday services at 11 a. m., Sunday school classes, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings are held at 8 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Carson and Martina.
 Clarence E. Hedrick, pastor.
 Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages. Wm. H. Tolson, superintendent.
 Morning service, 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "God's Word."
 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Universal Language."
 Baptist Young People's service at 8:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Engracia at Arlington. Phone 148-J.
 George G. Elder, pastor.
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Dedication service of new Bible school unit.
 Morning service, 10:50 o'clock. Rev. Frank T. Porter, state secretary for Christian churches will deliver the address.
 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "The Children of the Forlorn," a children's day program to be given by the school and chorus.

ATTEND SERVICES SUNDAY

6:30, Christian Endeavor—a service for young people. Component leadership. Come.
 Wednesday, church night service. The 6:30 dinner will be omitted during the summer months. An auditorium service will be held each week beginning at 7:30 o'clock.
 Thursday 7:30, members of the choir will meet in special rehearsal.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Marcellina and Arlington. Phone No. 151.
 G. G. Schmidt, pastor.
 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
 Junior church, 10:45.
 Morning service, 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "The Gifts of Worship and the Worship of Gifts."
 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "The Human Arrow."
 6:30, Christian Endeavor in Guild Hall.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

1438 Engracia avenue.
 Rev. Harold H. Kelley, vicar.
 Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.
 Morning service, 11 o'clock.
 First Sunday after Trinity, Holy Communion.
 Woman's Auxiliary meets first and third Thursday at 2:00 p. m. in the Parish Hall.
 Girls' Friendly, older group at 7:00, second and fourth Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Younger group at 4:00 p. m., second and fourth Thursday, at Parish Hall.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon was "Soul and Body." Sunday, May 26, in all Christian Science churches, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Among the Scriptural selections in the Lesson-Sermon, cited from the Christian Science Quarterly, were the following verses from Psalm xxiii: "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want... He restoreth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake... Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."
 A correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," presented these words of Mary Baker Eddy: "The Science of being reveals man as perfect, even as the Father is perfect, because the soul, or mind, of the spiritual man is God, the divine Principle of all being, and because this real man is governed by Soul instead of sense, by the law of Spirit, not by the so-called laws of matter."

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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