

# IN SOCIETY

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## INTERNATIONAL COSTUME PARTY

Costumes of all nations, worn by the members of the National Business and Professional Women's Club of Torrance, made their meeting, held Tuesday evening at the Christian church, a gay and colorful event, one of the most entertaining of this group's many notable dinner meetings.

Under the direction of the chairman of the international relations committee, Miss Ethelwyn Niles, the program brought stimulating ideas of the inter-relationship of nations. Mrs. Maude Williams, club member, gave a deeply interesting resume of the lectures heard by several of the group on Monday night at Philharmonic auditorium, where five well known lecturers discussed the "hopes and fears" of Russia, China, and Japan. Mrs. Williams brought back to the club the major points of these lectures, speaking principally on the Russian phase, which students of world history are everywhere watching and analyzing.

Miss Helen Hughes, member of the Los Angeles N. B. P. W., who spent three months last year touring various countries in Europe, gave an informal talk on her trip. Her vivid descriptions interspersed with humorous incidents gave the local group a very intriguing picture of the delights of foreign travel.

Lewis Dreyer, baritone, accompanied by Mme. Teala Billini, in perfect artistry of tone and phrasing, sang two Scotch ballads, followed by an encore "Rollin' Down to Rio," and closed the program with a well-known popular ballad. Mr. and Mrs. Dreyer, Miss Hughes and Mrs. Mary Elsen, of Los Angeles, acted as judges of the costume grand march and awarded first prize to Miss Caroline Stroth, arrayed as Aunt Dinah, and second to Miss Beatrice Hughes, who represented an Indian couple.

## BRIDGE CLUB AT LUNCHEON

Members of the Polly Anns were delightfully entertained with a George Washington luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. B. Parry of Beech street, Friday afternoon. At a luncheon table, centered with low bowls of cherry blossoms, covers were marked for Meadames W. C. Andrus, H. L. Alcorn, F. W. Mineck, Thomas L. Kendrick, A. W. Johnson, Dunbar, George D. Watson, W. C. Dolley, John Guyan, O. W. Hudson and A. W. Meizer. Bridge honors for high score were presented to Mrs. Alcorn and Mrs. Johnson, while Mrs. Watson received a consolation.

## M. E. FOOD SALE SATURDAY

A food sale sponsored by the M. E. Aid Society, will be held at Piggly Wiggly store on Sartori avenue, Saturday morning, February 25, beginning at 9:00 o'clock. For information call circle chairman, or Mrs. J. B. Edwards, president, Torrance 479.

## PARTY ON EL PRADO

Miss Evangeline Cummings and Carl Cummings entertained a group of their Long Beach, Pasadena, and Torrance friends with a delightful party on El Prado Friday evening. They were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGee and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott. About 50 enjoyed the dancing party, cards and jigsaw puzzles arranged for their entertainment.

## SUPPER PARTY AT SUMMERS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Summers were hosts when they entertained at their home on Acacia street Saturday evening with a delightfully appointed supper party accented by a patriotic note in the George Washington decorations and accessories. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Emil Sasina of Los Angeles, Miss Beesie Henry of Long Beach and Stewart Beatty of Huntington Park. Piano, violin and vocal music furnished entertainment during the evening.

## MISS DORIS WOOD BECOMES BRIDE

The wedding of Miss Doris Joanna Wood, foster daughter of Mrs. Phoebe J. Milburn, to James A. West, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. West, was performed by Rev. F. Murray Clayton at Christ Episcopal church this morning in the presence of an intimate group of relatives and friends. The bride, charming in an ensemble of hyacinth blue rabbit cloth with gray accessories and wearing a corsage bouquet, was attended by Miss Jean A. Hudson, who wore a rose ensemble with white accessories. Hartley Cooke served the groom as best man. Mr. and Mrs. West will take up residence at 1916 Andree avenue.

## BABY CENTER TOMORROW

Mothers are cordially invited to take their babies and small children to Mothers' Educational Center to be held at Torrance Woman's club house on Engracia avenue, tomorrow, Friday, February 24, from 9:00 o'clock until 12:00.

## What's On In Torrance

Friday, February 24.—Loyal Order of Moose, Masons, Torrance Relief, Boy Scout Troop No. 3 at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 26.—Services in all churches.

Monday, Feb. 27.—Knights of Columbus, Kiwanis at Earl's at 6:15 p. m., American Legion, Scout Mothers Auxiliary Troop No. 3.

Tuesday, Feb. 28.—Odd Fellows, city council, P. T. A., Young Ladies' and Young Men's Mutual Improvement Ass'n., L. D. S., Job's Daughters.

Wednesday, March 1.—Torrance Woman's Club. Thursday, March 2.—Modern Women, W. B. A., Episcopal Women's Auxiliary, Lutheran Ladies' Aid, Rotary at noon, Boy Scout Troop No. 4 at 7:30 p. m.

## "MIKE" IS PAPE

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Strazer are receiving congratulations from their many Torrance friends upon the birth of a daughter born at a Los Angeles hospital last Wednesday. Melissa Ann tipped the scales at nine and one-half pounds.

## LUTHERAN LADIES AT TEA

More than 35 members of Lutheran Ladies' Aid and their friends enjoyed a musicale and tea, arranged by Mrs. F. D. Mechlun and Mrs. Ed Little, last Thursday afternoon. Miss Ursula Rawles of Galesburg, Illinois, opened the program with a group of readings followed by a piano group presented by Jean Hosking and Alice Degner. Mrs. E. A. Schwartz then played a piano group and a vocal duet by Mrs. J. O. Bartz and Mrs. J. E. West, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Schwartz, completed the entertainment. Tea was served at the Little home at the close of the afternoon.

## SCOUT MOTHERS TO MEET

The next meeting of the Scout Mothers Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert L. Lewellen, Monday evening, February 27. Mrs. R. S. Sleeth and Mrs. Lewellen will entertain. All members are cordially invited.

## TUESDAY CLUB AT LOS ANGELES

Members of the Tuesday Afternoon Club enjoyed a delightful party at Los Angeles this week when Mrs. Jeanette Maxfield entertained, using a George Washington motif. Her guests included Miss Frances Smith of Lomita, Meadames W. H. Stanger, John Dennis, Archer Lewis, W. W. West, J. O. Moore, J. H. Fess, Mae Sidebotham, Fred Knudson, J. F. Dalton, R. L. McFarland and Logan Shriener. Refreshments of log cabin cake and coffee were served at the close of card play. Mrs. Fess and Mrs. Shriener received prizes for high score, while Mrs. Moore received a consolation.

## MRS. DENNIS FETED ON BIRTHDAY

The birthday anniversary of Mrs. John Dennis was the occasion for a delightful party planned as a surprise by a group of her friends Thursday afternoon. At luncheon tables, attractively decorated with cut flowers, covers were arranged for the honoree and Meadames J. M. Allen, Paul Kaspar, O. E. Fossum, Emma York, R. A. McFarland, Archer Lewis, W. W. West, H. A. Shriener and J. H. Fess. Bridge furnished entertainment for the afternoon and Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Dennis and Mrs. McFarland received prizes.

## MISS ORTMAN IS FETED

The birthday anniversary of Miss Rosa Ortmann provided the occasion for a delightful party when a group of 29 of her friends surprised her at her home at Colonial Hotel Monday evening. Pinchle provided entertainment for the evening and refreshments were served at the close of card play.

## BUNCO PARTY THURSDAY

About 25 members of the Torrance Circle, R. N. A., and their friends were entertained at a bunco party at the home of Mrs. May McKinley Thursday evening. The rooms were beautifully decorated with bowls of ranunculus and fern. Mrs. Fred Baker and Mrs. Mary Munsing received prizes for high score. Refreshments were served buffet style at the close of the evening.

## O. E. S. THIS EVENING

The stated meeting of Torrance chapter, No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held at Masonic Temple this evening, Thursday, February 23. There will be balloting and a George Washington program will follow. All members and visiting Stars are invited.

## P. E. CHEERIO NOTES

Twenty-eight members of P. E. Cheerio Club attended the regular business and social meeting held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry Pierce. Mrs. M. J. Edwards assisted Mrs. Pierce as cohostess. Charades provided entertainment for the occasion. Many outstanding incidents in the life of George Washington were enacted. A patriotic motif was used in decorations and accessories. Cherry pie and coffee were served at the close of the evening.

## TORRANCE LADIES AT PALOS VERDES

Torrance Woman's Club was represented when a group of its members attended the bridge tea given by Palos Verdes Woman's Club Saturday afternoon. A feature of the entertainment was the presentation of Palos Verdes children in interpretive dance numbers.

## M. E. YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING

"Are missionaries needed in America?" is the topic for discussion at the young people's meeting to be held Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Methodist church. Miss Verna Naylor of Los Angeles will address the group, speaking about her work with Mexican and other groups in the United States.

## MRS. LOWEN ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. C. D. Lowen entertained members of her contract bridge club with a dessert bridge at her home last Thursday afternoon. Spring flowers were attractively arranged throughout the rooms. Included were Mrs. A. A. Strom, Mrs. N. F. Gallucci, Mrs. F. T. Fischer, Mrs. L. H. Cheadle, Mrs. T. T. Babbitt, Mrs. Louis Fernley and Miss Richardson.

## CATHOLIC PARTY MONDAY

Bridge, pinchle and 500 are the games to be played at the party to be held at K. C. club rooms, corner Torrance boulevard and Portola avenue, Monday evening, February 27. Mrs. O. J. Batsch is chairman of arrangements. Everyone is invited. Tallies at 35 cents each may be purchased at the door. For further information call Torrance 433.

## GROUP AT MANDARIN BALLROOM

More than 50 members of Torrance Woman's Club, their husbands and friends, enjoyed the delightful loge party at Mandarin ballroom, Redondo Beach, Saturday evening. The parties will be held at intervals during the spring and summer months.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY IS ENJOYED

The ninth birthday anniversary of Alice Ruth Degner provided the incentive for a delightful party when she entertained a group of her friends Saturday afternoon. Included were Dorothy Intermill, Jenoyne Barkdull, June Summers, Doraldine Scrivener and Rosemarie Disario. Luncheon favors and decorations were carried out in pink. A theatre party furnished entertainment for the girls during the afternoon.

## MRS. BAXTER CONVALESCING

The many friends of Mrs. Clara Baxter will be happy to know that she is recovering successfully from a recent operation and is at her home on Acacia street.

## ATTEND CONVENTION

Miss Esther Z. Maxwell, superintendent, and Miss Ethelwyn Niles, superintendent of nurses at the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital, accompanied by Mrs. Willis M. Brooks, are attending the convention of the Western Hospital Association held at Long Beach this week.

## American Legion Auxiliary News

Plans have been completed for the annual fashion show which will be given at Torrance Woman's club house Wednesday evening, March 1. A limited number of tallies may be secured by calling Mrs. Velora Murphy, chairman, at Torrance 497. Those who have tallies to sell are asked to return all those not sold by Saturday, otherwise they will be held responsible for payment.

## Our Juniors

The regular meeting will be held at American Legion club house Friday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. All members are cordially invited.

## MEMBERSHIP BANQUET IS COLORFUL AFFAIR

Eighty members of American Legion Auxiliary enjoyed the annual membership banquet at American Legion club house Monday evening. A patriotic color motif was used throughout the decorations. Cherry blossoms in attractive arrangement flanked with lighted tapers were used for the tables. Distinguished guests included Beatrice Trumbull, county council president, and Mary Starkey, 19th district vice president. Following the banquet, Roxie Sleeth, with her staff of officers, assisted by the unit drill team, initiated three new members, Mrs. Trumbull and Mrs. Starkey made short addresses and lauded the work of the local unit.

## DONNIE'S BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED

The seventh birthday of Donnie Baxter was the occasion for an enjoyable party at his grandmother's home on Sonoma street Saturday. Guests included Sammy Intermill, Junior Claire, Donnie Robinson, Stanley Stegert, Ernest Degner, Gerald McDonald and Frederick Wilkes. A birthday cake and ice cream were served and the boys were entertained with a theatre party for the balance of the afternoon.

## DALTONS ENTERTAIN AT EVENING BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dalton entertained with a well-arranged valentine party at their home on Gramercy avenue Saturday evening. Red carnations and valentines added a colorful note to the decorations and a valentine note was accented in the tables' names—cozy corner, lovers' lane, sweetheart street and ring road. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knudson and daughter, Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. West, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sidebotham, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McQuaid and Morehouse Dalton. Awards for high score at bridge were received by Mrs. West and Fred Knudson, Mrs. Knudson and Morehouse Dalton, while Mrs. McQuaid and F. T. Fischer received consolations. A midnight supper was served at beautifully decorated tables.

## ATTENDS COMMENCEMENT

Miss Muriel Bell has returned from a trip to San Jose where she attended last Friday night commencement exercises at the School of Nursing when her sister, Miss Mildred Bell, was a graduate. Miss Bell also visited other relatives in the northern city.

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<b>Swift's SLICED BACON, 1/2-lb. pkg.</b>	10c
<b>Luer's HAMS, As Cut, lb.</b>	10c
<b>Pork Shoulder Roast, lb.</b>	8c
<b>Pork Steaks, 2 lbs.</b>	25c

## Woman's Club Notes

The regular luncheon meeting of Torrance Woman's Club will be held at the clubhouse Wednesday, March 1, beginning at 12:30 o'clock. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, 420, Mrs. Charles S. McKelvey, district president, will be guest speaker during the afternoon. She has announced as her subject, "Our Lantern." A two-act play, "Mind Your Own Business," will be presented by members of the P. E. Cheerio Club. Mrs. O. W. Hudson, program chairman, requests that each member send a picture of herself to be used in a contest during the afternoon. The picture may be a baby picture or one taken up to the age of 15 years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bau, Miss Edith Harshman and Gordon Bau spent the week-end at Big Pines, California.

## MASONIC PARTY BRILLIANT SUCCESS

More than 125 Masons and their families enjoyed the dinner and dancing party held at Masonic Temple Friday evening. A "Pumpkin Center" orchestra, presented by E. H. Barlow, provided the music for dancing. Members of the orchestra included Mrs. E. H. Barlow, Mrs. Glen Babcock, Mrs. Earl Babcock, L. Buckley, Paul Lessing and Charles Chaplin. Mrs. John Turner of Los Angeles received an award for high score at bridge, while Jesse Sprout of Lomita was presented with a prize for pinchle.

## SEWING CLUB MEETS

Members of the Friendship Club met at Mrs. Woodington's home Tuesday and spent the evening quilting. A chop supper was served and places were arranged for Mrs. J. F. Dalton, Mrs. O. E. Fossum, Mrs. Fred Knudson, Mrs. Harold Smith of Lomita, Mrs. A. Wall, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. George D. Watson and Mrs. Woodington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leech entertained as their dinner guests Friday evening, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Owen of Los Angeles.

Mrs. H. S. McManus and Mrs. J. H. Fess were visitors at Whittier, Friday.

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<b>Catsup Yolo 14-Oz.</b>	8c	<b>Milani Chicken Noodles</b>	17-ounce jar	25c
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<b>Jell-O 3 Pkgs. For</b>	19c	<b>Flour Globe A-1 Biscuit</b>	25c
<b>Rice Silk's 16-Oz. Tin</b>	9c	<b>Candy Peanut Brittle Per Lb.</b>	10c

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<b>BEEF PLATE PER BOILING LB.</b>	5c	<b>Beef Rump Per Roast Lb.</b>	18c
<b>ROAST SHOULDER CHUCK LB.</b>	10c	<b>Hens Colored Per Lb.</b>	27c
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