

Tenth District Sponsors Outing At Camp Radford

Mrs. J. J. Millard, junior past president of Lomita-San Pedro Council P.T.A. and son Bill; Mrs. A. C. Turner and sons Jack and Dick, are representing Fern ave. P.T.A. and the Council at Camp Radford this week.

A project in human relationships, Camp Radford is this year holding its tenth annual outing conducted by Tenth District. Staffed entirely by volunteers excepting a professional chef, and operated on a non-profit basis, rates are at cost, which enables families to enjoy a vacation period which otherwise would be prohibitive. A full program of planned entertainment is enjoyed by the campers whose age range is from babies to over 80 years. Camp Radford is located near Seven Oaks in the San Bernardino mountains.



OMINOUS MESSAGE — Second Lieut. James K. Daniel, 20, is reported missing in India. The news came on his mother's birthday, July 21.

Missing In India

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Daniel, 2019 Border ave., have received official notice from the War Department that their son, Lieut. James K. Daniel, is missing in India.

Young Daniel was a navigator in the Army Air Corps, and had been in the service since April, 1942, when he enlisted while a pre-medical freshman at Whittier college. The family had moved to Torrance about two weeks before his enlistment. He received his commission as a second lieutenant in November, 1942, and was sent overseas in February, 1943. He is reported missing as of July 11, and the word was received here on July 21, his mother's birthday.

While in training at Mather Field, Sacramento, Lieut. Daniel met Miss Jo Buckman of that city, to whom he was married on Nov. 23. She remained in Sacramento with her parents when he was sent overseas.

Lieut. Daniel's parents are both employed by Rubbershaft Corp., his father as auditor and his mother in the Torrance plant. He has a sister, Florence, 19, three brothers, Robert, 15, Jack and Jean, twins, 12. Lieut. Daniel was 20 years old last March.

RECENT GUESTS Recent guests of Dr. K. F. Siskmann were her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frank.

New Opportunity For Enlistment In "Gray Ladies"

Another opportunity for interview for ladies interested in Red Cross Gray Ladies Service will be given on Friday, Aug. 20 at the Torrance city library. Applicants are requested to call headquarters, 1524 or Mrs. R. R. Smith, 17, not later than Thursday afternoon, Aug. 19.

Ladies between the ages of 21 and 50 are eligible for this fine work which entails morale building and recreational help. Candidates for Gray Ladies, officially known as members of the Red Cross Hospital Recreation Corps, must be citizens of the United States or Allied Nations with a health certificate and a high school education or its equivalent. Personal requirements are emotional stability, a pleasant even disposition, adjustability to people and events and ability to work under supervision. Gray Ladies from Torrance will serve in the Army hospital now under construction here, it was stated.

Betrothal Is Announced At Evening Party

One of the latest to join the ranks of brides-elect is Helen Irene Findley, whose engagement to Sgt. Lyle Milton Sage was announced Saturday at an evening party by her mother, Mrs. Paul Findley of 2121 Grandview ave. Lighted tapers in pastel shades and matching favors were used for the refreshment table and tiny scrolls tied with bows disclosed the betrothal.

Guests were family members and intimate friends of the couple including Messrs. and Mrs. Roy Sage of Waltham, parents of bridegroom-elect; Guy Sage and Gladis of Long Beach; George Coates and Maxine; Mrs. Charles Robinson and Mrs. Ina Miller of West Hollywood; the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Findley and Patricia and Edwin Findley.

YOUNG LADY HAS MANY OUTINGS

Rogeanne Markey, daughter of Commander and Mrs. C. Edward Markey of 21810 Grace st., left Tuesday for Camp Singer with a group of Camp Fire Girls. She has had several outings, including a week at Camp Terra-cita Pines, sponsored by Catholic Daughters of America; a weekend at Big Bear and three days' vacation at Lake Esplanore.

SERVICE SHORTS

L. W. PASCOE... electrician's mate 1/c in the Seabees writes from his base at Camp Peary, Va., that he is enjoying The Torrance Herald and keeping up with the news of his community, the Pascoes' former home. He says: "Hello to my many friends in Torrance. The Seabees are a real outfit—building and fighting is our motto." Mrs. Pascoe is spending some time in Illinois while her husband is on duty in his eastern command.

JOE FLORES... private 1/c has been promoted to corporal with the 327th Armored Infantry Battalion at Fort Knox, Ky. His mother, Mrs. Victoria Flores, resides at 1 Harlet st., Torrance.

FRANK KELLEY... an aviation cadet, has been transferred from Hayes college, Kansas to San Antonio, Texas, where he is taking his pre-flight training. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kelley of 917 Amapola ave.

RONALD STONEBRAKER... a corporal, stationed at Cambia spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Stonebraker, 1527 213th st.

FRED LINCOLN, JR... a cadet, has been transferred from Santa Ana Army Air Base to Cal Aero, a flying school at Ontario. He will spend the weekend at home here.

DAVID RAUSS... who has been transferred from McCarren Field, Las Vegas to Mather Field, Sacramento, on Sunday called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Rauss at their home, 708 Acacia ave., from San Francisco where he spent the weekend.

DELAINE CROOK... a staff sergeant, stationed at Desert Center near Indio, spent a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crook, here.

C. E. RUPPEL... a technician 5 is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

C. A. RUPPEL... is now a private 1/c at Camp Beale, Calif.

BOB JONES... a son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones of Rolling Hills is an aviation cadet at Santa Ana Army Air Base where he was recently transferred from Montana State college at Bozeman.

RICHARD T. HIGGINS... has been reclassified from propeller specialist to an inspector and is now a technical sergeant at Tinker Field, Oklahoma City. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Higgins of 1329 Portola ave.

WILLIAM LAFAYETTE McAFEE, JR... a son of Mrs. Gladys McAfee of 1800 West 182nd st., left Monday morning for San Diego Naval Training Base. He was graduated as an honor student with the class of '43 from Gardena high school where he was a member of the school Knights. He is well known here, having been employed at the Torrance post-office and is a member of the Sons of the Legion and of the Christian Science Sunday school.

TOM W. WATSON... fireman 3/c and acting storekeeper, arrived this week from San Diego Naval Training Base for a week's leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Watson of 1346 West 225th st.

GERALD MacDONALD... son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. MacDonald, 1420 Acacia ave., has enlisted in the V-12 program of the Navy and is now training at the University of Notre Dame.

GOES EAST TO ATTEND GOLDEN WEDDING Mrs. Charles E. Christianson, past president of Keystone Woman's Club and chairman of that club's Servicemen's Hospital committee, accompanied by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reese and Mrs. Bud Norton of Basden, left Tuesday morning for Hubbard, near Youngstown, Ohio, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herbin during their golden wedding anniversary. The occasion will also mark her father's 50th year as a Mason. En route the group will visit relatives at Peoria, Ill.

Notre Dame, Ind., as part of the Marine detachment.

DARRIEL MILFORD... a first sergeant, has returned following 10 months in the Pacific area to attend Officers' Training school at Fort Benning, Ga. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Milford of 263 East Carson st. En route he visited his family in Utah.

Rita Olaf Honored By Nursing Staff

Miss Rita Olaf, whose marriage to Mr. James E. Blankson will take place Saturday, Aug. 14 at Whittier, was commended when her co-workers of the nursing staff of Torrance Memorial hospital entertained at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening. Buffet supper, served in the garden at the home of Mrs. Willis M. Brooks, 1328 Portola ave., was enjoyed by about 30 guests, including Mrs. Cecil Johnson of Douglas, Ariz., a sister of the bride-elect; the Misses Ann and Helen Plonker, her cousins; Miss Elsa Hamstrom, hospital superintendent, and Miss Esther Maxwell, former superintendent; Miss Al Carroll, Lucille Moehring, Phyllis Miller, Florence McCoy, Bess Marker, Kathryn McCallum, Louise Olson, Frances Buffalo, Lois Reynolds, Viola Anderson, Maxine Anderson, Mary Sawyer; and the Misses Agnes Thompson, Agnes Bertozzi, Edith Ackerman, Agnes Friesen; Mrs. Brooks and her co-hostesses, Misses Jeanne White and Elaine Hunter.

SILVER WEDDING DATE CELEBRATED

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Babcock was the setting for a reception Sunday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Babcock of 2352 West 227th st., celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. About 75 guests including members of Torrance Chapter Order of Eastern Star, of which Babcock is Associate Patron, and intimate friends attended. An arrangement of white carnations in crystal bowls and matching tapers centered the buffet refreshment table. In the group were the Misses Norma Levy, Pat Hall, Dorcen Livermore, Joan Clark, Barbara Quimby, Kaye Turner, and Jim Pest, Bud Guttenfelder, John Agapito, Donnie Robinson and Bob Leech.

MRS. DEROUIN HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY

The home of Mrs. G. J. Derouin was an attractive setting for a bridge party Tuesday night when she entertained club members at her home on Beech ave. Arrangements of garden flowers enhanced the setting and at the close of the evening refreshments were served at the card tables. Those present were Mrs. C. E. Easley, J. W. Beeman, Fred Harder, M. W. Hinkshaw, Edward Rhone, Jack Moore, R. J. Ashley, R. L. Lesing, M. N. Folker, Dorothy Gerould, C. E. Ward and Miss Julia Steffen.

CATHOLIC LADIES CARD PARTY

Hostesses for tonight's Catholic Ladies card party are Mrs. T. D. McNeil and her committee, Mrs. Dean, Phoenix, J. E. McMaster, Wally, Turner, Thompson and Tupper. Everyone cordially invited. Tables of contract and auction bridge, pinocle and 500 will be in play and the first door prize will be drawn promptly at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS CARD PARTY

Torrance Camp No. 8905, Royal Neighbors of America, will sponsor a card party Wednesday evening, Aug. 18 at Men's Bible Class bldg. Bridge, pinocle and 500 will be played with beautiful handmade prizes as game awards. The first door prize will be drawn at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited.

PINAFORÉ GIRLS PRESENT PLAYLET

Members of the Pinafore Club, a girls' sewing group, presented the playlet, "Patsy Becomes a Pilgrim," last Thursday evening to the delight of their small sisters and brothers and their parents. The playlet, directed by Mrs. O. L. Ludwig, was presented at her home, 1328 Beech ave.

Young Bride and Groom Feted at Reception Sunday

At an attractively appointed reception held Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lang Guttenfelder, Sr., entertained at their home on Post ave. and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Vance Felts, whose marriage at Valley Forge, Pa., took place July 4.

Guests, numbering more than 125, were from Torrance, Los Angeles, Rosemead, Montebello and Hollywood, while his father, U. V. Felts, arrived from Turlock to extend felicitations. The bride has a host of friends here having been graduated from Torrance high school and is a past honored queen of Torrance. Bethel, Job's Daughters. With her husband, a petty officer, 2/c, she will leave this week for Long Beach, N. Y., where he will await further orders.

CLIFFORD TOTTEN SOON TO GET NAVY 'WINGS'

Aviation Cadet Clifford Harwood Totten, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Totten, 1414 Amapola ave., has successfully completed his primary flight training at the Naval air station at Pasco, Wash., and has been transferred to Corpus Christi, Texas, for advanced flight training. After about three months, he will receive his Navy "wings" and a commission as Ensign in the Naval Reserve or Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve. Cadet Totten graduated from Torrance high school in 1941, and was employed at the National Supply Co. prior to his enlistment.

CHURCH-SPONSORED DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

The regular bi-weekly dance for young people of Torrance will be held tomorrow night at the Woman's Club, starting at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Paul Moore Wheeler will be in charge, as assisted by members of St. Cecilia's Guild. Young people of county territory will be welcome, says Rev. Wheeler who reminds all who attend that they must comply with regulations of the Torrance curfew law.

BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON AND SKATING PARTY

Jessie Leu Quigley was hostess to an intimate group of friends recently on the occasion of her 11th birthday. Pink amaryllis adorned a pink and white color theme used for the luncheon table where covers were placed for six. The girls spent the afternoon at a nearby skating rink. In the group were Margaret Anne Vondrahe, Beverly Luster, Barbara Lou Kelley, Carol and Diane Mohr.

LUNCHEON GIVEN FOR PHOENIX GUESTS

Mrs. May McKinley was luncheon hostess Friday when she entertained for Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Snuffer and daughter, Patricia of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. W. L. Willis and Mrs. W. Fred Bowen of Los Angeles.



ADVANCED—Clifford H. Totten, aviation cadet, has been sent to Corpus Christi, Texas, for advance flight training.

Navy Inductee Takes Bride Here Sunday Evening

First Lutheran church was the setting for the wedding Sunday evening of Laddie Dinger Berden and Swayne Johnson. Rev. E. D. Mechlun, pastor, officiated in the presence of about 70 wedding guests. Mrs. Johnson was a pale pink brocaded gown with short little veil caught with gardenias complemented with elbow-length white gloves and evening bag.

Miss Virginia Hall, as maid of honor, was attired in pale blue brocaded satin fashioned like that of the bride; while Jackie Berden, 9-year-old daughter of Mrs. Johnson and Luwana Johnson, a niece of the bridegroom, gowned in white taffeta formal and carrying white Bible, were the junior bridesmaids. Gerald Johnson was his brother's attendant. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. E. A. Schwartz played the wedding march and the accompaniment for Miss Irene Findley who sang.

A reception followed at the church parlors where a beautifully decorated bridal cake centered the table, lovely with arrangement of gardenias and matching tapers. Mrs. Andrew Johnson, mother of the bridegroom, was assisted by Mrs. LaDora Piefer of Fresno and Patricia Fritz of Redondo Beach. Mrs. Johnson will make her home here for the duration while her husband will report for duty at San Diego Naval Training school. She has been a dental assistant at the office of Dr. W. A. Hoxie.

BARBECUE PARTY MARKS BIRTHDAY

Bobby Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Young, 2355 E. Derrado ave., celebrated his 12th birthday Tuesday afternoon with a barbecue party at his home. His guests were Janet Lewellen, Joan Thoma, Johnny and Brian Kasten, Billy Thoma, Joe O'Toole and Howard Intermill.

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