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**Women's Activities**

By MARY VONDERAHE

**Fern Avenue Board Honors Mrs. Markham At Dinner Party**

The executive board of Fern Avenue PTA closed an interesting and enjoyable season at a recent dinner honoring their retiring president, Mrs. Herbert T. Markham.

Mrs. Markham was presented with a beautiful gift in appreciation of her leadership during the past year. Those present in addition to the honoree were Mrs. Earl Robinson, president for the ensuing year; Miss Mary Charlotte Waddell, former principal of the school; Mmes. Lloyd C. Davis, D. A. Murphy, H. L. Wagner, Ray Reed, Edward Rhone, Jackson Moore, B. Burk, I. O. Kastan, Jack Long and Howard Schott.

**TO SANTA BARBARA**

Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Smith, of 2304 Torrance blvd., have returned from a few days trip to Santa Barbara.

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**Silver Wedding Is Celebrated At Open House Party**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Jensen, formerly of Illinois, and now residing at 1458 W. 218th st., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Saturday afternoon and evening, June 29, at an open house in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Green, 1814 Beech ave.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with yellow gladioli, daisies and red roses. Streamers of pink, aqua and silver were suspended from the center of the room, where a cluster of large silver bells was hung.

An attractively decorated wedding cake formed the centerpiece for the buffet table, where 40 guests were served.

Many beautiful gifts and cards were received by the couple, who came to California five years ago. Among those attending were Dr. and Mrs. William Emple, of San Pedro; Messrs. and Mmes. Charles Martin and son, Vernon Martin and Walter Emple, all of Los Angeles; Merle Bouse, of Buena Park; Fay M'Gonney, Downey; H. C. Winney and Jess Sanders, Long Beach; Mrs. John Myerscough, Harbor City; Rev. P. J. McGuinness and Messrs. and Mmes. George Misitz, Lawrence Sommers, D. W. Alexander and H. T. Green, all of this city.

**COULOMBE FAMILY VACATION REPORTED**

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Coulombe have returned from an enjoyable two weeks' vacation. Their itinerary included Ramona, San Diego, Escondido, Oceanside and San Juan Capistrano. The last several days of their vacation were spent at Lake Elsinore, where they joined their daughters, Jo-Ann Bernice and Jeanlyn.

**AT LAKE ELSINORE**

An enjoyable two weeks' vacation at Lake Elsinore is reported by the Misses Jo-Ann and Bernice Cline. Their guests during the first week were the Misses Est. Tibbets and Irene Hippel. Irene and Bernice have just completed a year's study at Compton Junior college. Jo-Ann and Est. are Torrance high school students.



**MARRIED . . .** Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Prime, whose wedding on Sunday afternoon in First Christian Church, Torrance, was attended by more than 200 guests. Upon their return from a honeymoon at Catalina they will live at 1824 Cabrillo ave. Mrs. Prime is the former Miss Della Alene Littrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Littrell of Lomita. Her husband is a son of Mrs. Joy Prime of Torrance. (Photo courtesy Dixie Lee Studio, Torrance.)

**Prime-Littrell Tell Wedding Vows In Church Service**

First Christian church was the setting for double ring nuptials recently, uniting Miss Della Alene Prime, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Littrell, of 25315 Eshelman ave., and Mr. Ben Prime, eldest son of Mrs. Joy Prime, of 1828 Cabrillo ave. Rev. Ronald J. Mennuir, pastor, assisted by Rev. Leonard D. Babcock, performed the impressive marriage ceremony in the presence of about 200 wedding guests.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was beautifully attired in traditional white satin with a veil of illusion net. Her bridal bouquet was of white roses and bouvardia with a removable corsage of white orchids.

Miss Eleanor Quesberry, of Lomita, as bridesmaid, wore pink chiffon and carried yellow roses. Preceding the entrance of the bride, a pretty candlelighting ceremony was performed by the Misses Julia Viellenave and Lee Lavezzari, who wore gowns fashioned alike of yellow and white net over yellow taffeta, respectively. Corsage bouquets of Peruvian lilies complemented their gowns.

Jim Prime was his brother's attendant and ushers were Ralph Prime, brother of the bridegroom and Carl and Kenneth Littrell, brother and cousin of the bride, respectively. Mrs. L. D. Babcock played the wedding marches and the accompaniment for Glen Hall who sang.

A reception for 200 followed at the church social parlors where Mrs. Littrell received her

**Luncheon Party, Stork Shower At Mrs. Ban's Home**

The home of Mrs. Richard Ban on Martina ave. was the pretty setting for a luncheon and stork shower given recently to honor Mrs. Sam Nincevic. Assisting Mrs. Ban with party arrangements were her daughters, the Misses Madeline and Pauline.

A pink and white color theme was effectively followed for the buffet luncheon. Following luncheon, appropriate games were the diversion, with Mrs. Frances Popovich and Mrs. Louis Lisoni of Torrance; Mrs. Nick Bebek, Sr., and Miss Madeline Bebek of Los Angeles, as prize winners.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented at the conclusion of the game period.

Those attending were the honoree and her daughter, Miss Jeanette Nincevic, and Mmes. Chris Banovich, Andrew Soldo and Mike Dofanin, all of Chicago; Don Kolan, North Hollywood; Nick Bebek, Sr., and daughters, Cecilia and Madeline; A. Pleick, P. Pleick, M. Deal and daughters, all of Los Angeles; T. Guina and S. Gabriel and daughter, San Pedro; John Tomasin, A. Palica, C. Drnaso, J. Primrose, all of Lomita; J. Popovich, C. Connors, E. A. Schwartz, Louis Lisoni, Sr., P. Crawford and B. Smith, all of this city.

**AMARANTH ARRANGE EVENING CARD PARTY**

Redondo Court No. 44, Order of Amaranth, will sponsor a benefit card party to be held Saturday evening, July 20, in Masonic Temple, 116 Ruby st., Redondo Beach. Everyone is invited.

Games of contract and auction bridge, pinocle (with and without the kitty) and 500 will be played. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of card play. Mrs. Rubie Sharon, of Hermosa Beach, and her committee, will have charge of arrangements.

**AT MOUNTAIN RESORT**

Mrs. Sidney E. Smith left this week for a month's vacation in Crestline, where she will be a guest of Mrs. Bessie Myers, Mrs. L. G. Barkdull and Mrs. W. H. Stanger also are Mrs. Meyers' guests this week.

**CATHOLIC CARD PARTY SET FOR THIS EVENING**

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic card party are Mmes. Ziemke, Ban, Cooper, Nady, Zupparde, Basile, Fenwick, Glibera, Wendell, Candler, Sexton and Misitz. Everyone is invited. The first door prize will be given away promptly at 8:00 o'clock and games of contract and auction bridge, pinocle, and 500 will begin immediately. Refreshments will be served.

**CATALINA HOLIDAY**

Blaine Walker, executive secretary Torrance Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Walker spent July 4th at the Atwater Hotel, Catalina island.

**Jolly Blue Birds Conclude Successful Year of Activities**

The Jolly Blue Bird group, sponsored by Mmes. M. N. Felker, John Grub and Howard Schott, closed a most active season at a meeting held recently in the home of Mrs. Howard Schott on Crenshaw blvd.

During the past year their activities have consisted of jewelry making, play acting, embroidery, gandy making, hikes and parties.

At the final meeting of the Fern Avenue PTA, the girls presented a play entitled, "The Shoemaker and the Elves," with Nancy Locke as the shoemaker's wife, Sandra Grub, the shoemaker, and Barbara Hazzard, a gentleman customer.

Summer vacations will take the Blue Birds to several eastern cities, camps and beach and mountain resorts.

The Jolly Blue Birds are Kay Shoemaker, president; Barbara Hazzard, Diane Schumert, Jill Hazzard, and Sally Moore, Jackie Pajac, Sharon Felker, Nancy Zuber, Sandra Grub, Nancy Locke, Roberta Long and Mary Schott.

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JAMES CAGNEY and ANN SHIRIDAN in  
"City for Conquest"  
—AND—  
JAMES STEWART and ROSALIND RUSSELL in  
"No Time for Comedy"  
NEXT WEEK  
MYRNA LOY and DON AMECHE in  
"So Goes My Love"  
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PHONE TORRANCE 122  
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