

**Mrs. Duane Wilson Complimented At Stork Shower**

Mrs. Joseph Landerville was complimented last Friday when Mrs. Jay Rowentine and Mrs. Duane Wilson were co-hostesses at a stork shower in the former's home, 2229 Cabrillo ave. The rooms were decorated in pink and white and refreshments were of the same color in the stork motif. Games were played, prizes for which were won by Mrs. Lee Allen and Mrs. Bill Kofalas. Others enjoying the evening were Mesdames James Colingsworth of Compton, Hubert Morin, Joe Wagner, Kenneth Young, Ralph Winteroad, of Gardena, Paul Jones, Gerald Alter, Tom Bridges, Vernon Planz, Duane Wilson, Bill Kofalas, Leonard Pisel, Neil Morin, J. Sullivan, Ed Dumont, Carville Du-non, Emil Landerville, Lee Allen, Don Pennington, Kenneth Bohn, Carl Peel and O. Chicone.

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**Patricia Carlin's Recent Marriage Is Revealed**

Mrs. Korena Carlin, 716 Aca-cia, announces the marriage of her daughter, Patricia, to Mr. Edward John Shaner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Shaner, 1622 Crenshaw blvd., in St. Joan of Arc church, Las Vegas, Nevada, on Saturday August 10. Father J. F. Belden officiated. Korena Carlin, sister of the bride and Mr. Frank Carr at-tended the couple. The bride was graduated from Torrance high school and served as pharmacist mate 3/c in the Waves. Her husband also graduated from Torrance high school and served overseas in the U.S. Army Medical Corps as a T-4. The couple will make their home in Torrance.

**CATHOLIC PARTY**

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic ladies' card party are Mmes. Morin, Sullivan, Green, Hussey, Miller, Cassidy, Fred-ericks, Dabbs, Colson, Benstead and Clark. Everyone is cordially invited. The first door prize will be presented at 8:00 and games of contract and auction, bridge, pinocle and 500 will begin im-mediately. Refreshments will be served.

The Rebekah Circle of First Lutheran Church will meet Fri-day, August 18th at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Joe Tavan, Rolling Hills.

**Day Camp Director Entertains With Evaluation Tea**

The closing of the annual Girl Scout Day Camp at Tor-rance was followed by a tea given recently by Mrs. Frank Church in her home on 251st st., Lomita, in honor of unit leaders, assistant leaders and program aides who were Girl Scout Mariners.

An evaluation meeting was held in the tea room pre-ceding the tea, at which time the leaders of the Day Camp discussed the program and im-provements for next year's sum-mer activities.

Mrs. Charles Eade, Lomita, and Mrs. David Jones of Wal-teria, presided over an attrac-tive tea table centered with a large bowl of yellow gladoli and daisies, flanked with green candles.

Enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames James Stewart, Jackie Hageman, Jean Rothman, Mary Baer, Gwynne Campbell, Dor-othy Alban Fern, Artman, Edna Moffitt, Lauris L. Kassebaum, Vera Wickman, Pat Wolf, Grace Wright, H. Silence, Charles Eade, David Jones, Dorothy Brockelsby and the Misses Mar-ilyn Biblehouse, Donna Baer, L'cena Brumskill, Pat Eade and Doris Church. Invited but un-able to be present were Mes-dames Helen McWald and Inez Brown.

Individual gifts of leather ad-dress books were presented each guest by the hostess, who is Harbor Section Girl Scout chair-man and Day Camp director.

**BIRTHDAY DINNER**

Mrs. Walter Donnelly was complimented last Wednesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Leo D. York entertained at dinner in their home, 1622 Post ave.

The occasion was the birthday of Mrs. Donnelly. Others help-ing celebrate were her husband and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Mace of Inglewood.

**TRIP TO MEXICO**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ernst, 1650 W. 218th st., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stevenson, 1028 Ar-lington avenue, have returned from an enjoyable week spent at Rodriguez, Mexico.

**Women's Activities**  
By MARY VONDERAHE



**BETROTHED . . .** Miss Delores Hanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hanks, Torrance, whose engagement has been announced to Mr. William I. Rogers of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hanks, 909 Sartori ave., have an-nounced the engagement of their daughter, Delores, to Mr. Wil-liam I. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Rogers of Torrance.

Miss Hanks graduated from Torrance high school with the class of summer 1945 and is employed by the Southern Tele-phone Company in Torrance. Her fiance graduated with the same class and attended Southern Junior college. The date of the wedding has not been set.

**BETSY ROSS**  
Betsy Ross Star Club will hold a pot luck luncheon in Torrance Park on Tuesday, August 20th, at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Bettina Mil-ler is chairman in charge of ar-rangements for the luncheon.

The blanket award will be made and final arrangements completed for the card party to be held in Masonic Temple on Saturday evening, August 24th. Mrs. Muriel Edwards will pre-side at the business meeting.

**WEEK AT ARROWHEAD**  
Mrs. Hazel C. Parsons, 1731 Andreo avenue, returned Satur-day from Lake Arrowhead where she spent a pleasant week at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary L. Mitchell.

**George Bradford Surprised On Birthday**

George A. Bradford Jr. was pleasantly surprised Mon-day evening by members of his family and friends on the occasion of his birthday.

A dessert party was enjoyed in the barbecue pit of the Brad-ford home on Beech ave., and a group gift was presented the honoree by Mrs. Bradford and Maurine, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hodge, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phil-lips, Danny and Leslie Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Llewelyn Phillips, Mrs. Emma Hogg, Lomita, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thorsen, Palos Ver-des, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phil-lips, Frank Pedro, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Steinhilber, Tor-rance.

**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS**

American Legion Auxiliary held its first meeting of the new season in St. Cecilia's Guild hall on Monday evening with Mrs. Velora Murphy presiding.

Several announcements were made including the fact that there will be no social meeting this month due to the American Legion baseball tournament, for which many members are work-ing in the food stands and the state convention.

The Edison-Masonic men's din-ner is scheduled for September 21 and all members are ex-pected to participate. A blan-ket club is being started im-mediately.

Miss Corlita Reeve, treasurer for the past two years, was presented with a certificate of appreciation for her services. Delegates chosen for the state convention to be held in Sacramento Sep-tember 23, 24, 25 and 26, the first since the beginning of the war, are Mesdames Daisy Wat-son, Marcela Acord and Velora Murphy.

**SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Shirley Gene Owen was pleas-antly surprised last Sunday af-ternoon when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Owen, 1320 W. 224th st., entertained with a party in honor of her 11th birthday. Following games and the opening of gifts, a delicious ice cream cake as well as the traditional birthday cake were enjoyed by the honoree, Mary Ann Lenton, Judy and Donna Pat Wolf, Zora Shirley, Pat Campbell, Diana Farmer and Joan and Fritz Owen.

**Local Girl Scouts Attend Party At Radio Station KMPC**

Torrance Girl Scout Troops 540, 184 and 610 were repre-sented at the Girl Scout Birth-day party sponsored by radio station KMPC, Hollywood, at the studio Saturday afternoon. A de-lightful party was enjoyed and broadcast from the air. The surprise of the day came when Miss Penny Singleton, star of "Blonde," played the part of the "Good Fairy." The studio staff and many radio celebri-ties signed autographs books and paper napkins for the girls.

Girls from Torrance enjoying the affair are: Torrance elemen-tary P.T.A. sponsored group 510, Carol Jacobs, Norma LeClerq, Mary Ann Lenton, Roberta Tu-tor, Georgia Turnage, Donna Pat Wolf, Darlene Faulkner, Betty Donnell, Judith Yeltema, Oliva Comstock, Jackie Johnson, Diane Faulkner, Judy Wolf; Troop 184, Carol Campbell, Nancy Prime, Barbara Pacina, Jeanne Cobb, Janie Moffett, Robera Robinette, Jeanette Harris, Sue McWald, Janice Crabtree, Troop 610, Shirley and Sandra Reeves. Leaders, troop committee and guests were: Mesdames David Jacobs, Robert Lenton, S. K. Campbell, H. Mc-Wald, F. M. Carr, Marjorie Morrell and Don Wolf.

**ROLAND HARRIS NOW ONE YEAR OLD**

Four generations were repre-sented last week when Mrs. Jack Harris entertained with a birthday party for her son, Roland Dean. The affair was held at the home of his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, 1325 Engadia Avenue and approximately thirty guests from Torrance, Long Beach, Inglewood and Los Angeles at-tended.

A beautifully decorated birth-day cake with one candle cen-tered the table from which re-freshments were served. The four generation group consisted of Roland Dean Harris, his mother, Mrs. Marilyn Harris, grandmother Mrs. Elsie Smith and great grandmother, Martha Cooper, all of Torrance.

**ATTEND FAMILY REUNION**

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Coles, 1738 Manuel ave., and their daugh-ters, Barbara and Betty, at-tended a reunion of members of Mrs. Coles' family last Sun-day at the home of her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Potter of Long Beach.

The occasion was to welcome a nephew, Glen Miller, who has returned to California after spending the past five years in Florida.

**AT CIRO'S**

Judge Jo Marchetti of Holly-wood entertained Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bradford Jr. last Sat-urday with dinner at Romeo's Italian restaurant and dancing at Ciro's. Also in the party was Miss Toni Laing of Holly-wood.

**SHERFEY FAMILY AWAY**

Mayor J. Hugh SherfeY Jr. and family left Monday af-ternoon for an extended visit to the family home in Puhl, Idaho. Mayor SherfeY will visit his sis-ter for the first time in many years, he said. The SherfeY will be gone for about 10 days.

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