

Stork Shower Compliments Mrs. Benner

Mrs. Carl Benner was honored at an attractively arranged shower given recently at the home of Mrs. J. H. Stroh, with Miss Lucille Stroh as co-hostess. Preceding the presentation of lovely gifts, for the Benner heir-to-be, ramos were the diversion with Mrs. William Diesel and Miss Helen Lehne, of Hawthorne, as prize winners.

The buffet refreshment table was lovely with pink carnations and white stork, a large stork figurine, and pink and white bootie favors which were arranged to form Alice, the given name of the honoree.

Guests included, in addition to those mentioned above, Mrs. C. W. Lehne, Hawthorne, mother of the honoree, her sister-in-law Mrs. Horace Lane, Los Angeles; Mrs. Francis Strotter, Inglewood; William Benner, Verda Hansen, William Diesel, Glen Robinson, A. J. Knight, Connie Palumbo, Joseph Leitner, Jack Jackson, and Miss Cassie Hankson.

WALTERIA CLUB ENGAGES IN HOSPITAL WORK

Members of the J.F.F. club of Walteria met at the Walteria Recreation hall last week for a business meeting and sewed for the hospital.

Mrs. E. Minor presided and welcomed a visitor to the club. The St. Patrick's Day colors were carried out in the refreshments which were served by Mrs. D. Armstrong and Mrs. M. French.



MISS BERNICE EVELYN CLINE

FALLTRICK-CLINE TROTH REVEALED AT GALA PARTY

Formal announcement of the engagement of Bernice Evelyn Cline of 715 W. 117th street, Los

Angeles and formerly of Torrance, to George Francis Falltrick, of 10600 S. Cimmaron street, Los Angeles, was made at a party attended by intimate friends of the couple.

The party was held at the Los Angeles home of Mrs. Jean L. Coulombe, mother of the bride-elect. Mr. A. Lorne Cline, her father, is a resident of Portland, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Falltrick, of 3638 Mayfield avenue, La Crescenta, are the parents of the bridegroom-to-be.

Bernice, a graduate of Torrance High School, class of 1945, was active in school affairs, holding offices of Girls Athletic Association president, Girls League president, and vice president of Tartan Ladies. Miss Cline also was active in school affairs, holding office for two years at Compton Junior College where she was graduated with the class of summer '47. Since graduation she has been employed at Torrance Branch, Bank of America as a commercial bookkeeper. Mr. Falltrick was graduated

Bon Voyage Parties Fete H. C. Couple

Several courtesies have been extended Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Aspittle, 1346 Lomita Blvd. prior to their departure Sunday, March 27 for New York where they will sail aboard the Queen Mary for a six-months' vacation in England.

Enroute to New York they will stop at Kansas City, Chicago, and Des Moines, to visit with friends. They have booked passage for April 2nd.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards of Lomita boulevard complimented them with a dinner party. Places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Aspittle and son, Buddy, of Burbank; Mrs. Orville Garrett and son, Gordon, of Lomita; Mr. and Mrs. Aspittle, the honorees and the hosts.

A social evening followed and appropriate gifts were presented to the vacationers.

Again on Saturday night a dinner party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aspittle, 1852 W. 256th street.

Spring flowers were used profusely in the decorations and many going-away gifts presented to the Aspittles following the dinner hour.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Aspittle and Mr. and Mrs. William Aspittle of Bakersfield; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Aspittle and son, Buddy of Burbank; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haslam, Winchester; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards, Lomita; Mrs. Nellie Canham, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Aspittle, and Arthur White, of Riverside.

Of particular interest to the happy couple who will be leaving soon for England, was the presence of Mr. Robinson and Mr. White, who had been guests at their wedding nearly 40 years ago in England. Mr. and Mrs. Aspittle will celebrate this fortieth anniversary in June while in the British Isles.

Sales of the U.S. Government document entitled "100 Things You Should Know About Communism and Labor" are running 2000 a week.

from George Washington High School with the class of summer 1939. Enlisting in the U.S. Army the day following Pearl Harbor, he attained the rank of staff sergeant with the 52nd Airborne Group. He served overseas 14 months and since his return has been employed with the Los Angeles Board of Education, in the maintenance department.

A late summer wedding is being planned.



MISS BOBYE GARNER

Miss Garner, R. L. Watson To Tell Vows

Mrs. Jean Garner, of 20715 1/2 South Vermont and Mr. Marion C. Garner, of Phoenix, Arizona, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bobye, to Mr. Robert L. Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Watson, of 1446 W. 219th street.

Plans are being made by the couple for a formal wedding set for June 11 in Long Beach. They will make their home in Torrance.

Miss Garner and her fiancé were graduated from Compton and Torrance High Schools, respectively and both are attending evening classes at El Camino Junior College, majoring in business management. She is employed with the Los Angeles office of AllState Insurance Company and he is associated with his father in the plaster contracting business.

FORMER RESIDENT IS HOSPITALIZED

Harold Northway, of Tulare and formerly of Torrance, arrived Saturday at Queen of Angels Hospital in an ambulance and on Monday underwent major surgery. The former Howard Supply Company employe, has many friends here.

Mrs. Northway is visiting at the home of Mrs. Dwight L.

Dance Party Successful Club Affair

The St. Patrick's Day dance, sponsored by the Torrance Junior Woman's Club Wednesday evening at the clubhouse, was so enjoyable that Mrs. E. E. Clayton, president, and Mrs. Merle Richardson, ways and means chairman, suggested monthly or semi-monthly dancing parties be sponsored by junior and senior woman's clubs. The suggestion will be presented to the clubs at their respective business meetings.

It was agreed by all that the success of the party was due to the spirited music of Les Tronzier, local musician, and his orchestra, and that he should be engaged to play at future dances.

Each year, in March, the club's senior sponsors give a party for all the club members. The current sponsors, Mrs. C. T. Rippey, G. C. Van Deventer, and John Oursler, have issued invitations to a "magazine party" and have asked each guest to bring a wrapped white elephant package. Everyone is anticipating a most entertaining and unusual evening.

Gunn, 21324 S. Denker avenue, Torrance 2080-W, while her husband is hospitalized.

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<p>Regular \$29.95 Gabardine TOPPER COATS</p> <p>Sample coats purchased from the same distributor for a double sensation for our Month-End Sale! It's a case of first come, first served for these!</p> <p>SPECIAL WHILE 9 LAST!</p>	<p>8.95</p>

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