

Dr. Robert Hoag Recently Married in Los Angeles

Announcement has been made of the recent marriage of Miss Angela Flora Guzzo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guzzo of Los Angeles, to Dr. Robert A. Hoag of 1527 Marcelina avenue, at St. Ignatius church. The bride wore a white slipper satin gown, with full train, designed off the shoulder with a soft draped, bertha edged with marquisette, and a peplum. The imported illusion finger-tip veil was held with a princess crown of illusion trimmed with French lace and seed pearls. She carried a crescent-shaped bouquet of white gladioli, surrounding two white orchids. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The maid of honor was Miss Rose Guzzo, the bride's sister. She wore a bouffant apron green gown, with a matching crown of net, and carried a nosegay of yellow roses. Miss Livia DiBunone of Erie, Pa., and Miss Gina Tarminia served as bridesmaids. They wore canary yellow gowns patterned like that of the maid of honor, with matching crowns of net in their hair, and carried

nosegays of talsman roses. James Hoag served his brother as best man and ushers were Thomas Guzzo, brother of the bride, and Richard Fiore.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the American Legion hall in Highland Park. Music was furnished by a 6 piece orchestra for the enjoyment of the 300 guests.

After a wedding trip to Oregon, the couple is at home in Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of Franklin high school. The bridegroom graduated from the University of Southern California, and is a member of the Torrance Rotary club.

HOME FROM WYOMING

Mrs. Della Moon and Mrs. Florence Hall, sisters of Torrance, are at home following a trip to Wyoming. Returning with them were Mrs. Ola Miles, Mrs. Moon's sister-in-law, and a sister, Mrs. Florence Hall of Stockton, Kansas.

TENTH DISTRICT PTA NAMES STATE CONVENTION HEADS

Early and extensive planning for next year's state convention of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers by Tenth District PTA, who will host the annual event when it takes place in Los Angeles, April 25, 26 and 27, 1949, was climaxed recently with several appointments by District President Mrs. Marvin Owen.

Among those to assist Mrs. Charles Reinhart, named general chairman, is Mrs. J. J. Millard of 28130 Hawthorne blvd., who will be in charge of all ticket sales.

District chairmen-at-large will include all 22 council presidents. Among this group will be Mrs. E. R. Walker, of 1817 W. 257th street, president of Lomita-San Pedro Council.

REDONDO BEACH REBEKAH LODGE MEETS RECENTLY

Nine applications for membership were received by Silver Crest Rebekah Lodge, 295, Redondo Beach, at the first meeting of the term, recently. Martha Spikes, newly installed Noble Grand, presided at the session. Margie King, who was unable to be present at the installation of officers, was inducted as chaplain by district deputy president Winifred Jones, who was present at the meeting.

Sadie Tibbet, Winifred Jones and Nella Dion were appointed to the finance committee, and Mrs. Tibbet was also made chairman of the flower committee. Sarah Neumaier was appointed degree captain for the ensuing term, and Allie Gentry, good fellowship chairman.

Mrs. Jones, who was introduced to the group, gave her instructions to the officers, and told of the accomplishments of the Rebekahs of the state.

A district school of instruction has been planned for Sept. 27 in Redondo Beach, with Clair Freer, vice president of the Rebekah assembly of California as instructor.

The following were escorted to the center of the floor, and "Happy Birthday" was sung to them: Martha Spikes, Theresa Walters, Fay Hall, Elizabeth Hall, Ida Wright, Olga McKay, Erna Mooney, Charlie, Walter and Alice Tibbet.

At the conclusion of the evening, refreshments were served by Solda Beaver, Cynthia Harlow and Mabel Crabtree.

TWELFTH BIRTHDAY MARKED BY PICNIC AT TORRANCE PARK

Each guest won at least one prize at a picnic at Torrance Park given in honor of William Patrick Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Murphy, of 1704 Greenwood avenue, on his twelfth birthday Friday.

Relays and other games were enjoyed by the boys present. A picnic lunch was highlighted by a large chocolate cake with candles and ice cream.

Those present were Kenneth May, Tony Ward, Zibby Kaiser, Chris Kaiser, Peter Thomas, Allen Brown, Dennis Brown, Steven Smith, Nickie Brown and Patrick Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kneiseler Return from Long Vacation

Seven thousand miles were covered by Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Kneiseler of 1008 Amopola avenue, during a three months automobile trip through the United States. They returned home Sunday from the long jaunt, and are in full accord with the saying that "there is no place like home."

One of the highlights of the trip, according to Mrs. Kneiseler, were the Ozarks where, she said, the natural beauty is superb. During their trip they also visited in Kansas City and Independence, Mo., and went through Iowa and Minnesota. From North Dakota they drove west to Yellowstone Park and Butte, Mont., then on to Portland and down through Redwood National Forest.

Through acquaintances Mr. and Mrs. Kneiseler learned that the housing shortage is acute in every area. However, comfortable and well-furnished motels are quite common along middle-western highways, they said.

BABY DAUGHTER BORN TO MR. AND MRS. J. GARDNER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gardner of 2410 Eshelman avenue are the proud parents of a baby daughter born Sunday night, Aug. 8, at the San Pedro hospital weighing 7 lbs.

The little girl, who has an older brother, Joe, Jr., and sister, Janice Marie, has been named Cheryl Ann.



MR. AND MRS. GRANT W. BARNES Wed in Lovely Ceremony

Neff-Barnes Recite Vows at Church of Nativity

In one of the loveliest weddings of the season, Miss Margaret Phyllis Neff, daughter of Mrs. William J. Neff, 804 Cota avenue, became the bride of Grant Walter Barnes, son of Mrs. Maud Barnes of Los Angeles, at the Catholic Church of the Nativity, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Patrick J. McGuinness, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony before 200 guests.

Given in marriage by her uncle, William McMaster, the bride wore a beautiful bouffant ivory satin gown, fashioned with a bustle back and long sleeves. The net yoke was outlined with rosepoint lace, and the gown had a full train. Her full-length illusion veil fell from a Juliette cap, embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a white satin prayer book with a white orchid, and a starlight shower.

Barbara Anne Neff was her sister's only attendant. She wore a gown of avocado green, designed with satin epaulets, and a gold lace hat. Her flowers were golden glow roses, which contrasted beautifully with her gown.

Terence O'Neill attended the bridegroom as best man, and ushers were Robert McMaster and Frank B. Stump.

Jack Hertert sang "Ave Maria" and "Panis Angelicus," accompanied by Mrs. Neil McConlogue.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Hollywood Riviera Beach club, and a buffet luncheon was served. Receiving guests the bride's mother wore an aqua dress with brown accessories, and the bridegroom's mother, a print frock, with white accessories. The bride's bouquet was caught by Barbara McMaster of South Gate.

For her going away costume, the bride chose a sheer eggshell

wool suit, designed with an Eton jacket. Her accessories were nink brown. Following a short wedding trip to an undisclosed destination, the couple will be at home in Los Angeles.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance high school, and attended U.C.L.A. The bridegroom, a graduate of Belmont high school, had five years in military service, and was overseas for 22 months. He is now employed by the Los Angeles City Department of Water and Power.

Prior to her wedding, Mrs. Barnes was the honoree of several events. Mrs. Eugene Hatter of Torrance and Mrs. Otto Forster of South Gate entertained at pre-nuptial miscellaneous showers and a linen shower was given by Mrs. Frank Schoepe of South Gate.

Jeannie Hedberg's Eighth Birthday Marked at Party

Bright balloons and bubble gum, and all the other accessories necessary to the younger set, were rampant at Torrance Park, Saturday afternoon, when Jeannie Hedberg celebrated her eighth birthday at a party.

A large pink and blue cake, decorated with circus animals was a highlight of the occasion. After the gifts were opened and refreshments were served, the young guests had a wonderful time playing games.

Hostesses were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Bertha Hedberg, Mrs. Dorothy Goldsmith, Miss Charlotte Kuddlemeyer and Miss Rita Shellman.

Those present were: Yolanda Goldsmith, Johnny Shellman, Richard Topper, Gloria Bowen, Dianne Powers, Virginia and Michael Sandstrom, Danny Bartlett, Peggy Morin, Marilyn Tidland, Peggy Sprout, Barbara and Ginny Krauszer, Kathy Shott, and Jackie Hedberg.

CURTIS BABY ARRIVES AUG. 6 IN TORRANCE

Little Steven Dale Curtis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon L. Curtis of 1944 W. 252nd street has arrived at the family home following his birth at the Torrance memorial hospital Aug. 6.

The little boy, who tipped the scales at 8 lb. 4 3/4 oz. is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison of Gardena, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Curtis of 1944 W. 252nd street here. His mother is the former Helen Jo Harrison.

Canada Theme of Documentary Film Tomorrow Night

Canada will be the theme of the next program, Friday at 8 p.m., in the series of documentary films being presented each week at the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park.

Following an announcement by James H. Breasted, Jr., director of the Museum.

Six films will be run, the titles of which are: "Face of Time," "Painters of Quebec," "Banff to Lake Louise," "Chants Populaires No. 4," "Music in the Wind," and "Ski in the Valley of the Saints."

The film programs, ending August 27 next, are presented by the education division of the Museum in collaboration with the Museum Association and the County Board of Supervisors. No admission is charged.

GARDEN CLUB FETES MEMBER AT STORK SHOWER

Mrs. Mary Fritz received many lovely gifts at a stork shower given by members of the Torrance Terrace Garden Club recently. The event was given on the patio at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Meyers, 1526 213th street, and Mrs. Emily Spitz was hostess.

A pink and blue motif prevailed with a bassinet, tiny umbrellas, and a luncheon, carrying out the theme.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Florence Hiebert on August 18.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Frank Krolow has recently returned to her home at 1218 Arlington avenue, from the Veterans' Hospital at Sawtelle, where she was confined for seven weeks. She is now able to receive visitors.

MUSIC IN THE AIR SCHEDULED FOR GREEK THEATRE

The outdoor Greek Theatre moves into the fourth in its summer series of five musical productions on Aug. 16, when "Music In The Air" opens a two-week engagement. Polyna Stoska, Charles Fredericks and Jan Clayton will star, with Walter Kingsford and Ralph Magelssen featured prominently in the large cast.

As might be expected, the Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein musical comedy is endowed with rich tunes. Two of the top favorites are "I've Told Every Little Star" and "The Song Is You."

Miss Stoska, the Metropolitan Opera Star who scored sensation in her recent appearances here in "Marie Fleta" and "Peter Grimes," has the natural role of the volatile prima donna. Winsome Jan Clayton, original star of "Carousel" in New York, is the delightful Seigline, and Fredericks appears as the playwright.

Through the current season, Greek Theatre audiences have been awed by the beauty of the set designs as created by Richard Jackson on the revolving stages. In the Munich and Bavarian Alps scenes of "Music In The Air," Jackson has one of his best opportunities to exploit his talents and to bring new beauty to the large, picturesque Greek Theatre stage.

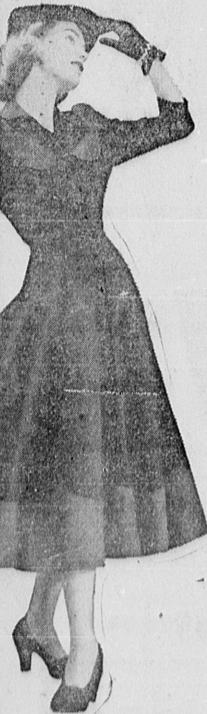
Harbor PTA School of Information to Be Held at Narbonne

PTA council and unit officers in the harbor area will hold their school of information at Narbonne high school on Wednesday, Sept. 1, from 9:45 a.m. until noon.

Tenth District PTA officers will conduct all sessions of the school, each distributing her own instructional material.

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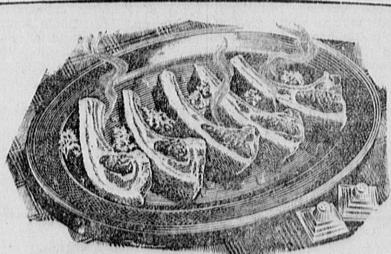


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