



MR. and MRS. GEORGE McNABB

Torrance Couple Renew Their Vows on Golden Anniversary

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. George McNabb on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary, family members and friends gathered recently at their home, 1505 W. 221st street for a surprise celebration.

Highlight of the celebration was the renewal of their nuptial vows with Rev. Ben. H. Lingenfelter, a long time friend and Christian worker in Torrance Men's Bible Class, officiating.

Assisting in recreating the ceremony, performed in 1900, were the celebrants' son, Harold McNabb, as best man; their daughter, Betty Black, as bridesmaid, and another daughter, Carrie Jane Robinson served as ring bearer. Grand-daughters Donna Dee and Diane Lee Williamson were flower girls, as ring bearer. Grand-daughter were Robbie and Glenda Nell Robinson.

After the ceremony, a nephew, Carl McNabb, dedicated to the couple the old song "When You and I were Young Nellie" by Mrs. Grace Cheesbrough. A reading, "Fifty Years Ago" by Ella Marlin was followed by

community singing of familiar old songs.

At the refreshment table, beautifully decorated by Mrs. M. Okers, a long time friend, an ornamented two-tiered-cake inscribed, "To George and Nell" was served with ice cream.

Among the beautiful gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. McNabb was a golden Bible presented to them by their immediate family.

Mr. and Mrs. McNabb have been Torrance residents since 1921. He was a National Supply Company employee for many years.

VACATION ENDS

Mr. and Mrs. D. Boone Kirks and children, of 2116 Gramercy avenue, returned recently from a vacation trip which took them to Grand Canyon, and included business in Oklahoma. They were accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Callie Kirks of Costa Mesa. Their itinerary included Denver, where Mrs. Callie Kirks remained for an indefinite visit. The return trip was made via the Rockies and Salt Lake City.

Women's Activities

Arnold-Kulp Nuptials Held In Nativity Catholic Church

LUTHERAN GROUP TO HAVE FETE

Women's Missionary Society of First Lutheran Church will hold its annual birthday party this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A musical program will be given by displaced persons who have been brought to this country through the efforts of the Lutheran Welfare Council. The birthday offering will be gathered at this time, and the money will be used for missionary work.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the party consists of Mrs. William Hauck, Mrs. Malcolm Neal, Mrs. E. J. Hoeking, Mrs. Matt Sheldon, Mrs. Charles Clayton, and Miss Alpha Stremplek.

Chantilly lace over satin fashioned the gown worn by Cathy Kulp for her wedding to Keith Arnold. Features of the exquisite gown were long sleeves and train, a Peter Pan collar and tiny lace-covered buttons extending to the waistline in back. A single strand of pearls and matching earrings complemented her bridal costume. Her pearl-embroidered tiara, made of the same lace, held her fingertip veil of bridal illusion and she carried white carnations surrounding a detachable corsage of white orchids. The lovely bride entered the church on the arm of her father, who gave her away.

One hundred and fifty friends and relatives gathered in Nativity Catholic Church for the Sunday afternoon ceremony at which Rev. Father Edward Sullivan officiated. A reception followed in the parish hall.

The bride, daughter of Mr. T. Leroy Kulp Sr., of 1307 Greenwood avenue, was attended by Mrs. Carmen Kastrop as matron of honor, who was gowned in yellow organdy. Her flowers

were gladiolas, which exactly matched the shade of her dress. The bridesmaids, the Misses Shirley Ann Ramsaur, Dorothy Arnold, Opal Henry and June Johnstone, wore identical gowns of white organdy over taffeta and carried bouquets of gladiolas to harmonize with their underslips of taffeta; Miss Ramsaur, pink; Miss Arnold, green; Miss Henry, lavender and Miss Johnstone blue. Flower girls were Ariene Kastrop and Sandra Gregory in frocks fashioned alike of peach organdy. Rae Lu Groover was ringbearer.

C. B. Benbow attended Mr. Arnold as best man, and ushers were Bill Jeffrey, Jim Goslin, Lou Phillips, Johnny Kulp and Tommy Kulp.

Mrs. Nell J. McConlogue played the organ accompaniment for Miss Patricia Dunmyer, who sang "On This Day" and "Ave Maria."

Miss Marion Ramsaur was guest book registrar.

Following a honeymoon trip to Lake Tahoe, Yosemite National Park and Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold will live at 703 Sartori avenue.

Mrs. Arnold was graduated from Torrance High School in 1948. Her bridegroom, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold of 1879 261st street, Lomita, received his diploma from Narbonne High School in '47.



MR. AND MRS. KEITH ARNOLD (Photo by Bob Roberts)

Mary W. Conover Tells Vows With Dr. W. A. Longshore Jr.

Of wide interest is the announcement of the marriage of Mary Wilson Conover, of 5454 Sharynne lane, Seaside Ranchos, to Dr. William Allen Longshore Jr. of Berkeley. Ice blue tulle lace over satin fashioned the bridal gown, which was complemented by a cascade of white gardenias. Mrs. Betty Chilton was matron of honor wore rose beige satin and carried pink elfie roses and shredded lavender asters. Carol Conover and Barbara Conover, daughters of the bride, wore flower girls wearing frocks of smocked turquoise and yellow, respectively. Robert M. Wilson gave his sister in marriage.

Mark M. Morris attended Dr. Longshore as best man. Judge John A. Snider read the marriage lines at the ceremony, performed at 4101 Via Ficaposte, Palos Verdes Estates. A reception for relatives and

intimate friends of the couple followed the ceremony, and later Dr. and Mrs. Longshore left for their honeymoon in Bermuda. They will return to California after visiting Philadelphia and Baltimore, to make their home at 550 Bancroft road, Concord.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mifflin Wilson of Rehoboth Beach, Delaware. Dr. Longshore's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William A. Longshore of Elkins Park, Pa.

CONVALESCENT

Mrs. H. Archer Lewis is making a satisfactory recovery at home following minor surgery at Torrance Memorial Hospital.

VACATION ENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Miles, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Adams of Hermosa Beach, returned this weekend from a vacation spent in the Pacific Northwest. Their itinerary included Portland, Ore., Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., Glacier National Park. On their return trip they spent some time at Craters of the Moon National Park, Idaho, and visited Reno, and Lake Tahoe.

Betsy Ross Club Plans Rummage

Betsy Ross Star Club will sponsor a rummage sale at or near Frank's Furniture, 1336 El Prado, all day Friday and Saturday. Cooperation of all Masonic organizations and friends of members is requested to assure success of the project.

Men's Group Plans Card Party 8th

St. Catherine LaBoure Catholic Church members are completing plans for their monthly card party to be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in parish hall, Redondo Beach boulevard, east of Prairie.

Members of the Holy Name Society, whose chairman is Doug Maillard, are sponsoring the monthly affair.

All usual games will be played, refreshments will be served, and prizes will be awarded, he says.

VACATION ENDS

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. York of 1522 Post avenue report a recent enjoyable two weeks' vacation spent at Big Bear and Oceanside. They also spent some time at Del Mar, where they attended the races.

'BROTHERS' NITE SET BY OES

The officers and members of Torrance Chapter 380, OES, will assemble in Torrance Masonic Temple tonight for a special meeting. Designated Brothers Night, it is an annual party honoring the brothers of the Order.

Worthy Matron Gladys Mothersell and Worthy Patron Frederick Cook will preside during the business session. Afterward the brothers, with Associate Patron Gordon Mothersell as chairman, will preside. They have made elaborate plans and are making arrangements to provide refreshments and entertainment, the nature of which they are keeping secret.

The worthy matron and worthy patron invite all members of the order to be present, especially the brothers, as this promises to be another enjoyable evening.

Amaranths' Spaghetti Dinner Set

Mrs. Hazel Duggett will open her home at 909 N. Eucalyptus, Inglewood, for a spaghetti dinner and card party at 5:30 Saturday, September 9. The public is invited.

Proceeds of the benefit affair will swell the treasury of Redondo Court 44, Order of Amaranth, according to Mrs. Alice Mort, publicity chairman.

RNA CIRCLE SLATES CARD PARTY 12th

The Friendship Circle of Torrance Camp, Royal Neighbors of America will entertain at a monthly card party Tuesday afternoon, September 12, at Moose hall, Carson street at Western avenue.

A dessert luncheon at 12 noon will precede card play, according to Susie Walker, chairman for September. Lovely prizes have been provided for winners of the various games, she states.



MR. AND MRS. BENJAMIN F. PEARSON

Newlywed B. F. Pearsons Make Dollhouse First Home

At home in her own doll house on 214th street are the former Helen Margaret O'Shea and her bridegroom, Benjamin Franklin Pearson. The couple exchanged nuptial vows in a Saturday afternoon ceremony in Nativity Catholic Church, which was attended by 150 guests. Rev. P. J. McGuinness, pastor, officiated.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Shea of 1503 W. 214th street, and Mr. Pearson's parents are Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pearson Sr. of Los Angeles.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose traditional white satin for her wedding gown, and she carried orange blossoms centered with an exquisite white orchid.

The bridesmaids were Miss Margaret O'Shea and Miss Tina Higgins, respectively. Both attendants wore gowns of silver and net over baby blue taffeta and carried pink roses.

Larry Jacobson and Leonard Bardino were the bridegroom's attendants.

At the reception in parish hall the decorated tiered wedding cake was served by the bride's sisters, Mrs. Thomas O'Brien, Mrs. John Pateni and Mrs. Rosie Balondi, and assisting were their daughters Theresa and Patsy O'Brien, and Nellie Pateni. More than 200 guests later were entertained at a reception at the bride's home.

The occasion was especially gay for the family because it marked the fourth first-love marriage for the O'Shea sisters, all of whom married at 18.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Pearson left for their honeymoon at Big Bear Lake.

The bride, an employee of Union Bank of Los Angeles, received her diploma from Torrance High School in 1947. Her husband is studying dentistry



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