

FORMER RESIDENT - Mrs. Ellis Harder of Napa and formerly of Torrance has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Shields.

AT BALBOA - Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Derouin and their three sons were recent guests at the M. Felker cottage in Balboa.



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Ranchos Man Claims Bride In Westchester Ceremony

At home in Inglewood following their honeymoon are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris, whose marriage was solemnized recently in an evening ceremony performed in Westchester.

The bride is the former Bernice Brown of Inglewood, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Harris of Seaside Ranchos.

Lovely in a blue gabardine suit with white accessories, and carrying a Colonial bouquet of white roses, the bride was attended by Miss Patricia Tompkins as maid of honor.

Following the ceremony they left for their honeymoon at Green Valley in the San Bernardino Mountains.

TO MAKE HOME HERE

Mrs. John B. Hoffman of Loma left Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Harry E. Ramsey of Meadville, Pa. Upon her return Mrs. Hoffman will be accompanied by her mother, who plans to live with another daughter, Mrs. Howard P. Raymond, of 1743 Gramercy avenue.

Mrs. Hoffman was accompanied east by her brother-in-law, George Hoffman of Oil City, Pa., who had been a guest for the past week at her 240th street home.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST 218th and Manuel - Torrance SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE AT 11 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M. WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETING AT 8 P.M. READING ROOM IN CHURCH EDIFICE OPEN DAILY 11 A.M. TO 4 P.M. EXCEPT SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS. MON. & FRI. 7-9 P.M.

Bethel 50 Guardians at Lougees'

The September guardian council meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Lois Lougee, guardian treasurer, Friday Sept. 1.

Mrs. Nellie Montague, deputy grand guardian, of Long Beach, visited the group, instructing the council members of the duties of their offices.

Angel food cake topped with whipped cream and strawberries with coffee were served by Mrs. Lougee. Present were Mrs. Edna Babcock, Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. William Brenner, Mrs. Illa Rodgers, Mrs. Howard McDonald, Mrs. Charlotte Robinson, Mrs. Katharine Pfluke and Mrs. Montague of Long Beach.

Long Beach Girl to Teach Here

Miss Rolfe Tucker of Long Beach has accepted a position as a second grade teacher in Torrance Elementary School, and will live here this year.

Miss Tucker majored in education at the University of California in Los Angeles and was a Zeta Tau Alpha. She received her bachelor of arts degree and teacher's state credential last June from the Long Beach State College.

The young teacher is a member of Western Shores Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Long Beach DAR Juniors. She is affiliated also with the Long Beach Zeta Tau Alpha Alumnae.

Jeans, Calico Dance Slated

Jeans and Calico Square Dance Club will present its weekly dance Saturday night, September 9, with a new caller, Lee Boswell.

Boswell is well known in the harbor area. He calls every week at Gardena, Long Beach, South Gate and many other cities. According to Theodore Bre Dahl, president of the dance club, Boswell is the best caller and instructor in the harbor area.

Dancing begins at 8 o'clock with half hour's instruction of beginners. Everyone is invited to join the club, with headquarters at 324 Neptune avenue, Wilmington.

Plans Set by Soroptimists

Tentative plans for coming events were discussed last Wednesday at a dinner meeting of members of the Harbor District Soroptimist Club.

The club was entertained at a dinner in the patio of the 1456 Paseo Del Mar home of Miss Ruth Havens.

Following dinner Miss Edna Whitlow, club president, directed order of business. Each member introduced herself and repeated the slogan pertaining to the business in which she is engaged.

Included in the coming events plans were arrangements for a rummage sale to be held September 21, 22 and 23, with 926 Pacific avenue, San Pedro, as locale. A style show for the latter part of this month also was discussed, with details to be announced.

Catholic Women Plan Card Party

Mrs. Anna McIntier will serve as chairman for this evening's weekly card party in Nativity Hall, Cota and Manuel avenues. Everyone is invited.

Assisting with party preparations are Meses. Regina Cunningham, Emil Ziemke, James Catala, Thomas Fischer, Lucius Arnold, Michael Donah, J. Lucas, Joseph Muensterman, Albert Nischan, the Misses Terry McIntier, June Johnston and Dorothy Morris.

First Christian Church Next to Torrance Hospital on Engracia Sunday Services Church School 9:30 Church Worship 10:50 Nursery for Children Youth Program 6:00 High School & College REV. CECIL J. ENGLAND Pastor

Miss Vonderahe Becomes Bride in Church Ceremony

Saint Bartholomew's Catholic Church at Belmont Shore, Long Beach, was the setting for the Tuesday morning ceremony which joined Corlista Ann Vonderahe of Brawley, and Frederick Louis Zolezzi of San Jose; Rev. Father Thomas F. Kennedy, pastor, officiated.

The attractive blonde bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vonderahe of Brawley and Les E. Vonderahe of Torrance, chose a gown of bridal white, the bodice of Chantilly lace flowing into a flared skirt with slight train. Scallops at the neckline and on the sleeves were embroidered with pearls. A matching pearl-embroidered lace bonnet held her fingertip veil. Her only jewelry was an heirloom gold pin, belonging to her maternal grandmother. The bridal bouquet was of white roses surrounding a white orchid.

Mrs. Charles Graham, of Calipatria, was her sister's matron of honor, wearing a gown of green satin and tulle.

The bridesmaids, the Misses Kathryn Littlefield, Phyllis Gardner and Margaret Ann Gilbert, were gowned the same as all were matron of honor and all wore matching bonnets and stoles, and carried bouquets of Tallisman roses.

Little Susan Graham, in white organza, was flower girl, and her brother William served as ringbearer.

Robert Chims attended the bridegroom as best man and ushers were Paul Johnston, Norman Morrison, Donald Allen and Charles Graham.

Mrs. M. Jenne played the accompaniment for the soloist, whose selections were "Ave Maria" and "The Lord's Prayer."

A reception for relatives and friends followed at the Long Beach summer home of the bride's parents. Later Mr. and Mrs. Zolezzi explained for San Francisco, where they were feted aboard ship by his parents before they sailed for their honeymoon in Hawaii.

They will make their home in Berkeley, where the bride is a senior at the University of California.

Varied Activities Claim Court Members' Attention

A social evening under the chairmanship of Mrs. Frank H. Forester was enjoyed by members of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, and their friends Monday evening at the parish hall. Assisting the chairman in arranging the games and contests and in serving refreshments were Mesdames Keith Beck, Mayme Arnold, Gilbert A. Hutton and Douglas Schnoor.

Mrs. Frank J. Farrell, as an officer in the Past Grand Regents Club of Southern California, was one of the hostesses at a garden party staged by this group Saturday in Los Angeles, as a benefit for their philanthropic work. Also attending from the local court were Mrs. T. T. Babbitt and Mrs. J. J. MacDonald.

Mrs. Donald Pennington was a recent hostess to the court's study club at her home, 1407 Annapola avenue. Mrs. Howard Schott, program chairman, gave a paper on the Knock Shrine in Ireland; she also introduced the speaker, Rev. Robert Gara, new assistant pastor of Nativity Catholic Church. The hostess served refreshments at the close of the study hour.

This year, for the first time, Court St. Catherine participated in the annual "El-jinks" staged by Court Matthias of Huntington Park. Twenty-seven members of the local court attended the performance, many of them taking part in the skit arranged by Mrs. James C. Donald Jr. Mrs. Howard Owen was transportation chairman.

ORACLES LUNCHEON MEET 11th

Torrance Past Oracles Club will host a luncheon meeting at noon Monday, September 11 at the Moose Hall Carson street near Western avenue. Their guests will be Royal Neighbor past oracles from all over the district with Mamie Kirschner of Culver City, district officer, as guest speaker.

Reflections HOME

After traveling thousands of miles, seeing some of the wonders of their country, hearing top leaders speak, having the time of their young lives everywhere, our Scouts returning from their National meet breathed one word when they stepped off the train, "Home!"

There's something about the word "Home" that is indelible; it can't be washed out, outgrown, nor mutilated. Go where you will, sumptuous palace or hogan, pinnacle or the highest mountain, or the calm or tempestuous sea, each and all of them lack something compared with "Home." Track-walker or President, peon of Mexico or mounties of Canada, aviator or locomotive engineer, each has glamor but none can compare with dad or mother. "Home" is inextricably part of our being.

Those Scouts were glad to get home. No wonder! Torrance is settled with Home-lovers. We, too, are always glad to get home.

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