

Many Beautiful Bridal Festivities Spark Week's Calendar

Women's Activities

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MISS MADELINE BAN

MISS MADELINE BAN TO MARRY IN AUGUST RITE

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Madeline, to Mr. Joseph H. Glascock of Long Beach was made this week by Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Ban of 1412 Crenshaw boulevard.

Plans for an August wedding in Nativity Catholic Church are being planned by Miss Ban and her bridegroom-elect.

The bride-to-be was graduated from Torrance High School and in 1948 completed a course of training at Compton Junior College.

Her fiancé, whom she met at Compton, also attended LaVerne College. His classes this summer at Long Beach State College will qualify him for a teaching certificate.

AT PARENTS' HOME

Mrs. Richard K. Brown (Jenoyne Barkdull) and two-year-old Janis, arrived last week from San Antonio, Texas for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barkdull. Lt. Richard Brown, USAF, is stationed at Randolph Field in the Texas city.

Breakfast Benefits Bethel 50

Proceeds of a breakfast being planned by Job's Daughters Mothers Club will defray expenses of sending Bethel 50 members to camp at Crestline.

Tickets are now on sale for the benefit affair set for Saturday, July 21 in C. E. Guild Hall, Arlington avenue at Marcelina. Fruit juice, hot cakes, sausage and coffee will be served from 6:30 until 11 a.m. Adults' tickets are 65 cents and children's, 45 cents.

VACATION ENDS

Capt. Kenneth B. Fess USAF, Mrs. Fess and their three children returned Monday to his base at Los Alamos, N. M. They had been enjoying a month's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fess here and with her parents, Brig. Gen. Jesse Dyer (Ret) of Palos Verdes Estates.



LAS VECINAS INDUCTS NEW OFFICERS . . . Pictured is the club's newly elected executive board, which includes, left to right: Mrs. Howard Baldwin, historian; Mrs. Henry Upholt, recording secretary; Mrs. Ross Dorsett,

first vice president (proxy for Mrs. Max Webber); Mrs. Frank Hanover, president; Mrs. Willard Wanke, second vice president; Mrs. Bennett, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Able Stone, treasurer.

Card Party, Dance Slated By Neighbors

Torrance Royal Neighbors will host a monthly card party Tuesday, July 17, at 8 p.m. in Woman's Clubhouse on Engracia avenue.

Chairman of the evening, Bertha Alcorn, urges a large attendance of members and friends of the organization.

Another social affair scheduled for this month is a dance on Tuesday, July 31, in the clubhouse under chairmanship of Mrs. Sophie Duncan. Tickets, which include refreshments, are being sold at 50 cents per person. Music for dancing will be furnished by McDaniel's orchestra.

AT DAWSON HOME

House guests at the E. R. Dawson home, 906 Plaza Del Amo, are S. W. Barnhart, and Mrs. Lulu Bradford of Tatt; Mrs. Peggy Wilson of Norwalk, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burgan of Delano. Mrs. Dawson says her guests, who report a minimum 105 degree daily temperature, are enjoying the Torrance afternoon breezes.

District Officer Installs Las Vecinas 1951-52 Board

Las Vecinas' last monthly meeting before summer adjournment was called to order by the retiring president, Mrs. Claude Ferrel, at the Hollywood Riviera Clubhouse. The occasion marked the third annual election and installation of officers.

Following a short business meeting, the names of the new officers were announced as follows:

President—Mrs. Frank Hanover; First Vice President—Mrs. Max Webber; Second Vice President—Mrs. Willard Wanke; Recording Secretary—Mrs. Henry Upholt; Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Paul Bennett; Treasurer—Mrs. Able Stone; and Historian—Mrs. Howard Baldwin.

Mrs. Harry B. Underwood, second vice president of the district division of the Federated Women's Clubs was present to congratulate Las Vecinas on their many achievements in the past year, and to preside over the installation of officers.

Theme for the installation was based on a floral ceremony, each incoming officer being presented with a bouquet in keeping with the arboreal decor. Following Mrs. Frank Hanover's acceptance of the gavel, both she and the retiring president, Mrs. Claude Ferrel received Federation pins. Presiding over the tea table were Mrs. James Hall and Mrs.

CDA Benefit

Mrs. Bernard Harwood, who heads Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, will open her home at 1104 Beech, avenue Tuesday, July 17, for a benefit breakfast under sponsorship of that organization. Officers will assist Mrs. Harwood.

Homemade coffee cake and coffee will be served from 9 a.m. until noon.

Friends are invited to drop in during the hours indicated. If transportation is desired, call the hostess at 1122-R.

Mrs. Harwood also will be hostess to the Court's study club at 8 o'clock Monday evening, July 16.

Crystal Tea Compliments Miss Beverly L. Hopkins

Complimenting Miss Beverly Hopkins, bride-elect of James A. Post, Mrs. B. W. Roberts entertained at a beautifully appointed crystal tea given Sunday afternoon in her home on Amapola avenue.

All-white blossoms arranged in a crystal swan centerpiece and an exquisite bridal figurine adorned the tea table where Mrs. Murray L. Rudnick, sister of the bridegroom-to-be, and Mrs. Sydney R. Hopkins, mother of the bride-elect poured.

Beautiful and useful gifts were presented by Mesdames Sydney R. Hopkins, James W. Post, Murray L. Rudnick, George W. Post, J. S. Lancaster, Grover C. Whyte, Frank Paour, Robert Leech, Charles T. Rippey Jr., W. H. Tolson, John Metville, Harriet V. Leech, Harvel Guttenfelder, R. A. Bingham, G. L. Probert, Guy A. Kelley, J. Hugh Sherfy, Jr., J. A. Barrington, W. H. Rojo, Jerry Witt, and Robert Tolson, and the Misses Nancy Whyte, Jeanne Lancaster, and Jeannette Probert, all of Torrance.

Former Torrance Girl Will Be Summer Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Hillman R. Lee of Las Vegas, Nevada and formerly of this city, have formally announced the betrothal of their younger daughter, Janet Louise, to Sergeant Leonard Charles Richardson, son of Mrs. Edna Richardson of Tacoma, Washington.

Janet, a native of Covina, received her early education in Torrance. She moved with her family to Las Vegas in 1946 when her father was transferred as manager of the J. C. Penny store.

A graduate of Las Vegas High with the class of 1951, Janet was active in Latin, Spanish, Girls Letter, and Commercial Clubs and served on the editorial staff of the school's annual. She has been a member of the Rain-

bow for Girls for the past four years. Since her graduation she has been employed at the F. W. Woolworth Company store in her city.

Sergeant Richardson a native of Omaha, Nebraska, received his early schooling in Wisconsin and his high school education at Lincoln High School, Tacoma, Washington, graduating with the class of 1946. He attended the University of Washington prior to enlistment in the Air Force in 1948. He was an active member of the Order of DeMolay. The bridegroom-to-be is stationed at Nellis Air Force Base with the 3525th Aircraft Gunnery Squadron.

The wedding will take place in the late summer and the couple plan to make their home in Las Vegas.



MISS GWENDOLYN ANN MORT

Miss Mort Will Be Summer Bride of Marine Officer

Mrs. Edith Mort of 1304 Portola avenue announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her younger daughter, Gwendolyn Ann, to Sergeant Pat D. Sullivan, United States Marine Corps.

from Korea, received his diploma from Polytechnic High, Long Beach, and Long Beach City College. He attended University of Southern California before being recalled for USMC duty.

Parents of the bridegroom-elect are Mr. and Mrs. James E. Sullivan of Long Beach.

Miss Mort was graduated from high school at Weirton, West Virginia, and is presently employed in the office of National Supply Company. She is active in Torrance chapter of Beta Sigma Chi.

Sergeant Sullivan, a veteran of World War II, just returned

CAMPAIGN MANAGER

Mrs. Jesse Barger of 1664 W. 218th street was among the group from this district, who last week attended the installation ceremonies for the new Los Angeles City Council. Mrs. Barger served as campaign manager for the newly installed John S. Gibson, councilman of the 15th district.

This Week End! Gay's

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SHOWERS FETE LOVELY AUGUST BRIDE-ELECT

Honoring Miss Carol Lovell, whose marriage will take place on August 4 in Nativity Catholic Church, Miss Joan Ingram entertained recently at a beautifully arranged shower given in her West 213th street home.

Guests were school friends of the honoree and the hostess. Games occupied the girls with the Misses Erlene Anderson, EttaLou Phifer, and Marilyn Spaan as winners.

Tiered iced cakes embellished with tiny parasols were served from a buffet table lovely with lavender and pink sweet peas in parasol design.

Gifts were presented to the honoree by her mother, Mrs. John Lovell, Miss Marjorie Lovell, the Misses Gloria Benedict, Ruth Ballard, Anderson, Phifer, Spaan, MariLynn Johnson, Sharon Davidson, Margaret Shields, Barbara Paulson, the hostess, and her mother Mrs. E. D. Ingram.

Another lovely shower given to compliment the youthful bride-elect was enjoyed in the Middlebrook home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Merle Drury, whose co-hostess was another sister, Miss Marjorie Lovell.

Roses and delphinium created a pretty party setting and at the conclusion of appropriate games, refreshments suggesting the bridal motif were served. Winners at games were the Misses Rosie Patrick, Loretta Lovell, Betty Lundeen and Mrs. Rose Snider. Also present were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. John Lovell; Anna Piazza, mother of the bridegroom-to-be; Mesdames A. G. Schilling, Mary Sanders, Clare Lovell, Josephine Rodau, Daisy Pearson, Naoma Morgan, Lois Sweet, and Druella Patrick.

Binghams Welcome First Son

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Bingham are the proud parents of their second child, a son, who was born July 6 in Torrance Memorial Hospital.

Named Larry Newton Bingham, the baby weighed seven pounds 15 ounces at birth. His little sister, Robin Louise, will celebrate her third birthday in three months.

The children's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Bingham, who recently arrived from their home in Tacoma, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Reddington of Helper, Utah.