

GRACE HJERPE CROWNED 'QUEEN OF HOME' WITH SAUCEPAN AT SHOWER

Crowned "Queen of the Home" with a saucepan encircled with flowers and netting, Miss Grace Hjerpe, who will marry Jack L. Russell of El Monte early in November, opened gifts and received best wishes of friends at a wedding shower held Saturday, Sept. 27.

Site of the pre-nuptial affair was the home of Mrs. Clem Bolles, 1851 Reynosa Dr. Individual umbrellas formed from hankies surrounded a simulated floral centerpiece of wax roses for room decor.

Traditional shower games were played and prizes were won by Mesdames Jane Byrnes and Nancy Hartel, Mrs. Bolles then served refreshments of individual whipped cream cakes and coffee on individual trays.

Attending were Mesdames Carol Swift, Shirley Simmons, Helen Person, Betty Goddard, Doris Woolfer, Hartel, Byrnes, Bolles and Miss Hjerpe.



SURPRISE CELEBRATION feted Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Moore, 1900 Martina Ave., Wednesday of last week on their 25th wedding anniversary. Hosting the affair were their children, Mrs. R. D. Stewart, and Mr. M. B. Moore.

Silver Duo PTA Council Heads Discuss Parent Classes

Two social events feted Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Moore, 1900 Martina Ave., last week as they reached the 25th year of married life.

Sunday evening close friends honored them with a dinner party at the Ambassador Hotel and an evening of dancing at Coconut Grove. Hosting the anniversary occasion were Messrs. and Mesdames H. M. Abramson, Bernard Lee, and Henry Berkowitz.

An after-dinner gathering in their home Wednesday evening surprised the honored couple, Mrs. R. D. Stewart and M. B. Moore planned the occasion for their parents, presenting them with a white sheet cake inscribed "25th Anniversary."

White chrysanthemums and gladioli were employed in room decor.

About 20 friends and relatives joined in the gathering to congratulate the silver bride and groom, who have lived in Torrance for the past 11 years.

WILHITE DOES IT AGAIN; IS HIGH POINT MAN AT LITTLE HILLS HORSE SHOW

J. R. Wilhite of the Golden West Riding Club, Redondo Beach captured high point honors in horsemanship last Sunday at the Little Hills Saddle Club Horse Show, continuing superior performance which won him the award at the first show sponsored by the group on Sept. 7.

The boy won first place in fast reining and musical chairs competition and second place in ring spearing and stake race events. Teamed with Howard Tuttle for the rescue race, he won another first, making a grand total of 21 points for the all-trophy show.

Event was held at the club show ring, 24300 Walnut St., Lomita, beginning with a grand entry at 12:30 p. m. Riders ranged from three years old to 65, with awards for youngest and oldest going to Dale Sample and Lambert Huff, respectively.

Other special awards were given Richard Kunath for the most typical cowboy; Glenda Brown, most typical cowgirl; Harold Gray and Bub Crabtree, best mounted pair.

First, second, and third places were won in each event by the following: Trail horse, Richard Kunath, Glenda Brown, and Jeannette Stringer; fast reining, Wilhite, Johnny Braddock, and Dave Sample; Junior horsemanship, Stringer, Franklin, and Skip Wetterhoff; ring spearing, Lucky Maloth, Wilhite, and Bert Valenzuela.

Junior bareback horsemanship, Coleen Crabb, Beva Tapley, and Eugenia Wunderlich, rescue team, Wilhite and Tuttle; Mail-oth and Coleen Crabb, Margie Smith and Don Killam; stock horse, Pat Leary, Billy Pellam, and Kathy Walters.

Stake race, Tom Drummond, Wilhite, and Tuttle; senior horsemanship, Leary, Dorothy Bryner, and Walters; walk, trot, and run, Lois Hamilton, Franklin, and Billy Hatton.

Western pleasure horse, Bub Crabb, Stringer, and Walters; speed and action, Drummond, Chuck Hines, and Tuttle; musical chairs, Wilhite, Tom Temporo, and Drummond; pop race, Killam, Tuttle, and Allen Byers.

Leaders met at the home of Mrs. Victor Benard, president, 1448 Encragia Ave. Attending were Mesdames Ralph McBee, first vice-president; Evar Jansson, second vice-president; Robert Moffitt, third vice-president; Elmer Moon, fourth vice-president; W. A. Wright, corresponding secretary; K. R. Ruffell, financial secretary; Carl Cramer, auditor; and A. C. Turner, parliamentarian.

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Soroptimists Name Delegate For Pacific Region Meeting

Mit Ruth will be Harbor District Soroptimist Club delegate when 67 active clubs in the Pacific region covering Southern Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Tijuana and California, convene in Long Beach to discuss service objectives.

Mesdames Marie Katich and Florence McDermott, and Miss Edna Whitlow will be alternate for the three-day conference, to conclude Nov. 2.

Delegate and alternates were appointed Wednesday of last week when the group met at the Fireside Inn, San Pedro, to celebrate the 31st anniversary of the founding of Soroptimism.

Thirty-one "Birthdays Pennies" have been contributed by each local member, an annually collected fund which will be added to similar contributions from every Soroptimist in each of 500 clubs in the Federation.

Money will be used to further the organization's International Fellowships awarded to outstanding women for advanced study in unusual fields.

History of Soroptimism was told by Hazel Scott Coomes, junior past president, who attended the international Soroptimist convention in Copenhagen, Denmark, during the course of a just-concluded European trip.

In 1921 80 prominent executive women of Alameda County, California, formed the organization dedicated to service and the betterment of their community," she said.

"Soroptimist" was coined as title from two Latin words, "soror," meaning sister and "optima," the best and highest good.

"For the next four years service objective of Soroptimist International will be child welfare with emphasis upon the handicapped child, juvenile delinquency, and the illegitimate child in isolation."

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Parish Holds Fall Festival Tomorrow

Fall festival will begin tomorrow at St. Peter and Paul's Parish in Wilmington and continue through Sunday, Oct. 12, according to Emmett Kaveney, chairman.

Twelve booths will feature games, refreshments, and merchandise, with attractions for every member of the family.

Kaveney said, Special Sunday feature will be a ham dinner served from 1 to 7 p. m. in the new parish hall, Bayview and "G" Sts., Wilmington.

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'Stork Story' FROM TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Two girls and two boys were added to Torrance population roster Sunday through Tuesday of last week.

Parents of daughters are Messrs. and Mesdames Verlon C. Roth, 21601 Halldale Ave., and Harry L. Pearl, 1325 W. 219th St., Messrs. and Mesdames Thomas Longtin, 2842 Alberta St., and Odell Faubus, 3115 W. 186th St., are parents of sons.

Named Jeri LeAnn, the Roth daughter was born Sept. 30, 1952, at a weight of 7 lbs. 9 1/2 oz. She joins two sisters, Mary Ann, 5 1/2, and Sharon Lee, 4. Her father is employed as a diesel mechanic at Mercury Transportation, and her grandparents are Messrs. and Mesdames Howard R. Moore of Torrance and Charles F. Roth, Florence, Ore.

Also born Sept. 30, at 12:45 p. m., was the Pearl daughter, named Debra Alane. Father of the 8 lb. 4 oz. infant is employed as a rolling mill operator at National Electric Production. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Glenn of Lomita, and Mrs. Edna Eddy of Harbor City are grandparents.

Both new boy-babies join two sisters.

Gregory, son of the Odells is welcomed to the world by Mr. and Donna, 5. Born Sept. 29 at 6 p. m., he weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz. Father is employed as a service manager at Mission Appliance Corp., and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Faubus, Elk Grove, Sweetwater, Okla.

Joan Marie, 10, and Beverly Ann, 9, are sisters of the Longtin son, named Jerome Thomas. He arrived Sept. 28 at 7:15 a. m., weighing 8 lbs. 4 oz. Father is employed as a die maker at Harvey Machine Co. Messrs. and Mesdames Alfred Longtin, of Gridley, Ill., and Henry Harer, Gainesville, Fla., are grandparents.

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Meeting was called to order by Acting Morthy Patron Vincent Villenave and Acting Worthy Matron Edna Babcock presided in the East. Special escort was given to Worthy Matron Alice Smith and Worthy Patron Floyd Mead, who presided during the business portion of the meet.

During escort, Past Grand Matron Thelma Bailey was presented and given grand honors. Deputy Grand Matron Rena C. Pearson and Worthy Matrons Zola Thompson of Wilmington and Jean Weaver of San Pedro also were escorted and presented.

Following the meeting refreshments were served in the banquet hall, decorated with colorful fall flowers. Committee for the social hour was the 1952 hostesses, who are Lea Wells, Hazel Hyde, Nellie Haynes, Mary Ellen DeVore, Kathleen Ritko, Ellen Pulliam, Ethyl Peverly, Jean Tuel.

These were assisted by Amanda Law, Eula Larson, Helen Seibert, Margaret Raymond, and a Rose Schmidt.

DEERS HOLD CARD PARTY TONIGHT

Tonight at 8 o'clock B.P.O. Deers 1378 will hold a benefit card party at the Elks Clubhouse in Redondo Beach.

Popular games will be played prizes will be awarded for high scores, and refreshments will be served, said Mrs. Dale London, chairman.

Open to the public, the affair makes possible the filled bags given to children at the Elks' Christmas party.

Plans for the benefit were discussed at a recent meeting of the group, who also completed plans for the husbands' turkey dinner, an annual event to be held at the Elks Clubhouse on Thursday evening, Nov. 6, at 6:30 p. m.

Supervising Nurse of Torrance Health Center, Mrs. Southernland spoke in behalf of the South Bay Children's Health Center, citing need for volunteer assistance in keeping the clinic open. Formally known as the Well Baby Clinic, its purpose is primarily educational, helping mothers with their children and referring sick ones to physicians, she said.

New Deers receiving the obligation were Mesdames Elaine Chester, Allene Brown, Isabelle Ingersoll, and Marvel Nave.

Carnival Time Slated by PTA

Carnival plans highlighted last Friday's luncheon meeting of North Torrance Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association, held at the home of Mrs. Barton Davidson, 17590 Arlington St.

Carnival will be held Friday, Oct. 17, at the school, with a variety of booths and amusements. Among featured attractions will be a white elephant sale and fortune telling.

Attending the meeting were Mesdames D. Stoeckle, M. J. Walker, F. West, Robert Jackson, Robert Thomas, Ott Fagnano, S. K. Odell, R. J. MacDonall, William Fale, Ralph McBee, Ted Kelley, Mangie, and Norman R. Bruffy.

Miss Betty Massie and Mesdames Donald Robison and Lloyd Jones.

Nativity Moms Serve Dinner Next Sunday

Roast beef will be on the menu next Sunday, Oct. 12, when the Nativity Mothers Club serves dinner at Nativity Parish Hall, 1420 Cota Ave., from 12 noon to 7 p. m.

Adult price for the affair will be \$1.25, while children will be served for half price, said Mrs. Ella Cook, chairman. Sharing the supervision of the benefit is Mrs. Donald Davis.

Proceeds will go to complete balance on a new station wagon purchased recently for the Sisters, Mrs. Cook said.

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