

Former Local Man Marries

Robert Allen Poer, formerly of Torrance, and his new bride, the former Martha Woffard, established a home in Whittier following their marriage on Mar. 14 at a chapel in Los Angeles. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Poer, who made



MISS MARTHA WOFFARD Weds Former Local Man

their home in Torrance for 13 years before moving to Whittier two years ago. Now employed at a hardware company in Los Angeles he is a graduate of Whittier High School and also attended Narbonne High.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woffard of Whittier.

TO DISCUSS CHILD'S HELP TO FAMILY

"What Boys and Girls Do for Their Families" will be the topic Apr. 9 when Fern Ave. Green-wood PTA holds a 2:30 p.m. meeting in the auditorium, Mrs. K. O. Bowdoin, publicity chairman announced yesterday.

Hostesses for the afternoon will be first and second grade mothers, and child care will be provided, Mrs. Bowdoin said. The preceding Wednesday, a paper and rag drive will be held, the publicity chairman revealed. Anyone wishing pickup service may call Mrs. R. E. Murphy at 2408-J.

Mrs. W. W. Megow recently entertained members of the PTA Council at a luncheon in her home. Sharing hostess honors was Mrs. R. E. Murphy. Members attending were Mesdames J. R. Patrick, president; C. F. Malone, president-elect; C. S. Connors, G. G. Grubb, E. W. Ingram, P. E. Humphreys, G. D. Arrasmith, G. J. Derouin, A. K. Krauszer, J. I. Hinds, and Bowdoin. Principals of Greenwood and Fern Ave. schools, R. F. Ellerman and C. I. Creclius, also attended.

C. E. Reafsniders Attend Reunion of 1926 Class

A visit with many old friends they had not seen for 26 years highlighted Saturday evening recently for Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reafsnider, 1034 W. Ocean Ave.

Occasion was a potluck dinner for the 1926 graduating class of Lindsay, Calif., held at the Compton home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lewellens

Trio To Hold Homecoming Wednesday

"Homecoming Night," an annual occasion when members gather to commemorate the organization of the lodge, will be the theme of next Wednesday night's Trio Rebekah Lodge No. 240 meeting. This is the 32nd anniversary of the group.

An Easter parade during which members will model bonnets they have made, will highlight the evening program. Prizes will be awarded for the most unusual and comical creations. "Let A Smile Be Your Umbrella" was the theme Wednesday of last week when the Trio Lodge welcomed, Olga Gurastovich, district deputy president, on her official visit. Irma Fowler, noble grand, and Edith MacRiott, vice-grand, set the keynote when they sang the song to the deputy and her marshal, Fern Hammel.

Decorations, arranged by Olive Veatch, carried out the theme in the deputy's colors, rose and blue. Large crepe paper umbrellas adorned the tables, and miniature blue and rose umbrellas topped contrasting nutcracks. Mrs. Flora Moraine, past warden of the Rebekah Assembly, jurisdiction of Arkansas, was a guest during the evening.

Senior Club Honors Past Presidents

Past presidents were honored guests yesterday, when the Torrance Woman's Club held a 12:30 p. m. luncheon meeting at the Clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave.

The former leaders were welcomed by Mrs. A. F. R. Ewalt, current club president, and presented reports during the business session. Dr. Fred M. Judson addressed the group on "It's A Wonderful Life" at 2 p. m. A doctor of divinity who studied at the University of Redlands and at the Baptist Divinity School in Berkeley, he was introduced by Mrs. Grover C. Van Deventer, program chairman and president-elect for 1934-35.

Dr. Judson served for 12 years as pastor of a Santa Monica church, and is a past president of the Santa Monica Coordinating Council. He also is a past president of the Santa Monica Committee on Human Relations.

Guest-speaker appearances which he has made have included sessions of the Kiwanis, Rotary, Lions, and women's clubs, and the Chamber of Commerce.

Over 200 Bluebird, Camp Fire Leaders, Girls Attend Harbor District Birthday Council Fire

More than 200 Bluebird and Campfire leaders and girls participated in the Harbor District Birthday Council Fire last Friday at the YWCA in Wilmington.

Seated in a large semi-circle at the front of the hall, a colorful sight in red, white and blue sash uniforms and ceremonial jackets, the girls received recognition for ranks, honors, and special awards which they had earned during the past year.

Parents and friends watching the presentations numbered nearly 300. Three year membership awards were presented to Virginia Barnard, Juanita Carlos and Janet Sawyer, all of Torrance.

Those girls from this area receiving rank recognition were: Trail Seeker - Luana Alford, Carrol Allen, Jeanette Babajian, Jo Ann Babajian, Virginia Barnard, Juanita Carlos, Barbara Hiebert, Kathleen Johnson, Donna Mangiagli, Toni Lee Mangiagle, Betty McMicken, Sharon Moore, Sharon Odell, Karen Peterson, Janet Sawyer, Rebecca Sletten, and Mary Thornburg.

LIGHT CANDLES A representative from each area was chosen to take part in the candle lighting ceremony, which had as its theme, "This Land of Ours." Lighting the candles were the following:

Patty Dunham and Margaret Glaser, Worship God; Barbara Bright and Sharon Moore, Seek Beauty; May Kando and Kathleen Berry, Give Service; Lupe Hernandez, Pursue Knowledge; Mary Hoag and Charlene Carpenter, Be Trustworthy; Edna Krohn and Ellen McGilberry, Hold On To Health; Kathleen Johnson and Mary Alice Fraser, Glorify Work; and Marsha Phillips and Carrol Allen, Be Happy.

Group leaders presented honor beads to their girls individually, and recognition of ranks was made by Miss Keyes, Mrs. Minot Rugg, district committee of awards chairman; and Miss Anita Korts, executive director of Campfire Girls, Los Angeles Area Council.

Garden Club Welcomes Two

Welcomed into Torrance Terrace Garden Club at last week's Wednesday session were Mesdames Gil Derouin and Thomas McCutcheon.

The session, held at the 1433 W. 215th St. home of Mrs. Carl Hood, featured a table, "Propagation of Fuchsias," by Mrs. Bertha Duroy. Many entries have been placed in the flower section of the May Hobby, Arts, and Flower Show, according to Mrs. Minot Rugg, publicity chairman. Any one desiring to enter the floral specimens in the exhibit may call Mesdames Wilfred Stevens, 2458-R; A. C. Turner, 279; or Hood, 2729-J.

Ceremonies will be opened with an address of welcome by Allen Young, past master counselor of Southwest Chapter, Los Angeles, and holder of the DeMolay Legion of Honor medal.

The installing team will be composed of the following: Robert McQuigg, master counselor, Southwest Chapter; Frank Morris, senior counselor, past master counselor, Torrance chapter; Robert Cooper, junior counselor, past master counselor, Southwest Chapter; Harold Muck, senior deacon; George Sims, chaplain; James Cannon, marshal, past master counselor, Southwest Chapter; and William Otis, installing pianist.

'Stork Story' FROM TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Announcing the birth of their third child are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce P. Mapes, 129 Vista Del Parque.

The new arrival, 7 lb. 7 oz. Carol Ann, was born last Thursday. She joins two brothers, Bruce P. II and Alva R.

Mapes is employed as a design engineer at North American Aviation. Mrs. E. C. Rodriguez and Mrs. Bennett Mapes are the grandmothers.

Born on her parents' ninth wedding anniversary, Mar. 27, was 6 lb. 9 oz. Martha Kay, fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan N. Dane, 20608 S. Lawrence Ave. The baby girl shares her birthday with an uncle, John Selby, 1537 1/2 Marcella. Other children in the family are Nolan Jr., 8, William, 5, and Verna Sue, 2. Father is employed as a field operator with Union Oil Co.; Mrs. Essie Jensen of Los Angeles is the maternal grandmother.

The first child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Lee, 620 E. 220th St., arrived at 7:27 a.m. Mar. 28. Named Sheryl Denise, the baby girl weighed 6 lbs. 11 1/2 oz. Father is employed as a salesman with Sears Roebuck Co.; Messrs. and Mesdames W. A. Lee and Harold Lynch are grandparents.

Melvin Utton, Lakewood Park Construction employee, and his wife, who live at 2161 W. 236th St., now are parents of their fifth child, an 8 lb. 5 oz. daughter who arrived Mar. 29 at 3:49 a.m. She has two brothers, Danny Eugene, 8, and Melvin Martin J., 14 months; and two sisters, Arnetta Janice, 10, and Lidia Joan, 7. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Duncan of Modesto, Calif., and Mrs. Iva Utton of Eugene, Ore., are grandparents.

Jeffrey Allen is the newest addition to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Lewis, 18421 Regina Ave. The baby, boy, born at 10:46 p.m. Mar. 30, joins two brothers, Jimmy, 7 1/2, and Raymond, 2. Father is a turret lathe operator with National Supply Co.; grandparents are Mrs. Hortense L. Olson of Inglewood, Mrs. Lula Lewis of Inglewood, and Joe I. Lewis of Visalia.

Three other children also were born at Torrance Memorial Hospital Mar. 30. Gregory Victor, 8 lbs. 9 1/2 oz., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Reed, 2826 Winlock Rd. Father is employed as an experimental test lab mechanic at Northrop Aircraft; grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson of Kewanee, Ill.

Mark Wayne, the first child of Union Ice Co. operator William Kelley and his wife, was born at 4:44 a.m. weighing 7 lbs. 11 1/2 oz. The Kelleys make their home at 2012 Cabrillo Ave. Grandparents are Mrs. Alberta Kelley, 25030 Narbonne Ave., Lomita; and Mr. and Mrs. George Peeler of Loft, Calif.

Ronald Elliott, newest addition to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Friberg, 1771 Santa Fe St., was born at 11:23 p.m. weighing 7 lbs. 11 oz. Father is a mechanic with Pacific Smelting. Included on the welcoming committee are three other children, Eddie Jr., 6; Gloria, 3; and Diane, 2; and grandparents, Ben Friberg of Torrance and J. Elliott Green of Mankato, Kans.

DE MOLAYS TO INSTALL ABRAMSON AS LEADER AT SATURDAY RITES

Joseph F. Abramson will be installed as master counselor of the local DeMolay Chapter at 8 o'clock ceremonies Saturday night at the Masonic Temple.

He will succeed Bernard D. Burke, who was captain of the league-winning Torrance DeMolay Football team during his term of office.

Other elective officers to be installed are Frank G. Schmidt, senior counselor, and Jimmie D. Rathbun, junior counselor. Appointive leaders also will take office formally at the rites. They are Tracey A. Dale, scribe; Floyd D. Mead, treasurer; William C. Bloomfield, senior deacon; Dwight A. Hanna, junior deacon; Charles E. Collins, senior steward; David R. Roxy, junior steward; Tommy L. Cook, chaplain; Larry J. Grimm, marshal; Herman T. Eisenbeiss, altar boy; John M. Brown, stand bearer; and Dale G. Howard, orator.

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