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A MID-SUMMER GARDEN PARTY . . . the pre-season ways and means project of the Senior Torrance Woman's Club will be held Wednesday morning as a bridge brunch in the patio and gardens at the home of Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass, 1614 Beach. Bridge playing will begin at 10 a.m., and brunch will be served at 1 p.m. Pictured in the garden, making plans for the party are committee members, from left, Mrs. John Tweedy, Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass and Mrs. A. R. Fiorelli, ways and means chairman. Tallies will be available at the door for club members and their friends.

Woman's Club Sponsors Bridge Brunch Wednesday

Torrance Senior Woman's club will sponsor a pre-season mid-summer social event next Wednesday morning, Aug. 17 at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass, 1614 Beech Ave. This will be a bridge brunch.

Bridge playing for which tallies will be available at the door will begin at 10 a.m. and brunch will be served at 1 p.m. This is the first ways and means project being directed by Mrs. A. R. Fiorelli, ways and means chairman for the new club year. Mrs. Snodgrass is serving as chairman of the bridge brunch and is being assisted by Mrs. V. D. Benard, Mrs. R. Bingham, Mrs. Ray Rogers, and Mrs. John A. Tweedy.

The garden at the Snodgrass home will be the setting for the event which is open to club members and their friends. Further information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Fiorelli or Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass.

CHICAGO GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Arnold of Post Ave. have had as their houseguest their niece, Miss Janet K. Arnold of Chicago. Last Monday Mrs. Arnold and Janet accompanied by Mrs. Arnold's daughter, Mrs. Philip J. Hoffman and two children, Pamela and Philip, spent the day in Catalina. Miss Arnold will leave Wednesday for her home.

Club Hostess

Mrs. B. W. Roberts entertained her bridge club at her home 1609 Amapola last Monday at noon. Luncheon was served at tables in the patio and the bridge games followed. High score was held by Mrs. Gracemary Rhone and second by Mrs. Mickey Rugraff.

Others attending were Mmes. B. T. Whitney, D. J. Thomsen, R. E. Moffitt, John Oursler and Ralph McNeil.

Mrs. Whitney will entertain the club at its next meeting in two weeks.

Shower for Lynn Lorenz, Bride-Elect

Wedding bells, hearts, candles and arrangements of pink and white flowers decorated the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Easley, 234 Camino del Campo, on Tuesday evening when their daughter, Miss Mary Sue Easley entertained at a lovely miscellaneous shower complimenting Miss Lynn Lorenz, fiancee of Lee Mortenson. The wedding will be solemnized Aug. 27, at 7:30, at the Wayfarer's chapel in Palos Verdes.

The evening was spent playing games after which the bride-elect was presented with a shower of gifts. Refreshments were then served from a table decorated with pink and white camellias flanked with pink tapers. On the table were two large hearts bearing the names of the engaged couple.

Attending the party with the honoree, hostess and her mother, were Mrs. Louise Pearson, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Mae Wright, mother of the benedict, and Mmes. Norma Farrar, DeDe Moreno, Carolyn Scherer, Nancy Staxrud.

Others were Misses Berta Long, Joan Leech, Cynthia Easley, Norma Quine, Eileen Dowsing, Jan Stevens, Pat Fenton, Sandy Sanders and Sandy Grub.

Committee Slates Meet

On Wednesday, Aug. 17, beginning at 8:15 p.m., the religious school committee of Temple Menorah will present a "Parent Participation Meeting" at 112½ No. Catalina in Redondo Beach.

Samuel Kaminker, known as an outstanding leader in the field of Jewish education, will summarize the parents' ideas for their children's religious and cultural program during the coming school year.

An interesting visual display of educational material will be exhibited. Interested parents and friends are invited to attend this meeting which will conclude with the serving of refreshments.

Those desiring transportation or further information may contact Mrs. Milton Feinberg or Mrs. Bernard Yeskin.

Joan Cunningham's Troth To Glenn Chism Disclosed

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Cunningham, Sr., of 4025 Via Pavion, Palos Verdes, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Joan Frances, to Glenn Chism of San Francisco.

The wedding, set for Sept. 24, will take place in the evening, at Walteria Community Church.

The bride-elect completed her senior year at Redondo Union High School, after her family moved here from Wichita, Kan., where she attended East High School for three years. Her benedict is a dealer for foreign cars in the Bay City.

Photo Arts

MRS. CHARLES ROBERT HAMILTON
. . . Virginia Bride

Niece of Local Man Weds In Wayfarer's Chapel Rite

In an impressive wedding at sundown on July 30 in the Wayfarer's Glass chapel at Portuguese Bend, Miss Alice Elizabeth Cree, daughter of Mrs. Alice Cree of Wellsburg, West Virginia and the late George Cree exchanged her wedding vows with Charles Robert Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hamilton, also of Wellsburg.

The bride, in a beautiful wedding gown of lace, was given in marriage by her brother, George F. Cree III. Thomas C. Rogers of Torrance was the usher. A reception followed at the new Hacienda Hotel in San Pedro.

The young couple left for a tour of the western states before going across continent to establish their home in Wellsburg.

The bride, her mother and her brother have been visiting her since June with Mrs. Cree's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Rogers, on Cabrillo. The bride is a cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Blakely, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edward Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Rogers, all of Torrance.

Mrs. Cree and son will leave for their home Aug. 20

Couple on Honeymoon

Honeymoning in the eastern part of the country are Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Long who were married at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the First Baptist church.

The bridegroom who resides at 17126 Inglewood Ave., and is well known in this area, is a former organist of the local Baptist church. His bride is the former Marie Lillie Brumbaugh of Ohio.

Officiating at the nuptial service was the Rev. C. Miles Northrup.

Upon their return they will reside at the Inglewood Ave. address.

North Torrance Fuchsia Unit Holds Installation

C. E. De Camp, the only man charter member of the North Torrance Fuchsia Society, was installed as president of the society, in a ceremony Tuesday evening, Aug. 9, at the McMasters Park, attended by 70 persons. William Hess, vice president of the California National Fuchsia Society, conducted the installation.

Others installed to serve with Mr. De Camp were: Mrs. Laura Pesola, vice president; Mrs. Betty Dennis, secretary; Mrs. Lena Cage, treasurer; and Mrs. Elsa Stone, state representative.

At this meeting the following chairmen were ratified to serve on the executive board; Mrs. J. R. Allison, finance and budget; Mrs. Eldon Morgan, publicity; Mrs. Basil Ball, refreshments; Robert Payne, Sannette magazine; Mmes. Helen Dorsey and Helen Rye, hospitality; Mrs. Robert Richter, membership; Mrs. Terry Snyder, sunshine; Mrs. Rosalee Boyco and Mrs. Viola Metz, plants.

During the program, colored slide of previous flower shows were shown by Mr. De Camp, with Mrs. J. R. Allison, commentator.

Robert Payne retiring president, was presented with a sport shirt handpainted with fuchsias.

An elaborate fuchsia plant table was on display and during a social hour, refreshments were served.

The North Torrance Fuchsia club meets every second Tuesday of the month at McMaster's Park, and the meetings are open to the public. Many presidents and officers of Flower clubs from the South Bay were present at the installation meeting.

CAMPING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hughes and family, 1122 Felbar Ave., spent from Thursday through today on a camping trip at Mammoth Lakes.

FROM LAKE TAHOE

Mr. and Mrs. Page Hurley of 1820 Martina, recently returned from a delightful week's vacation at Lake Tahoe.

Shower Fetes Mrs. Headley

Mrs. Don Headley, the former Lenore Rugg, was complimented at a pretty pink and blue baby shower recently given by Mrs. Richard Peterson at her home 28205 St. Andrew's Place.

The honoree was presented a shower of gifts in a bassinet for the baby-to-be. Games were played after which refreshments were served.

Attending the party were: Mmes Del Ray Hawks, Felix Edwards, Robert Yancy, J. L. Peterson, Ralph McIntyre, all of Torrance. Mmes William Peck, Byron Suitor of Long Beach; Mmes Glenn Brinkley and William Pierpont, San Pedro; and Mmes O. Falstead, Miles Headley and Miss Grace Falstead of Lomita.

DOROTHEA SCHWEITZER
. . . Plans Wedding

Whirl of Bridal Parties Fete Dorothea Schweitzer As Wedding Day Draws Near

In a whirl of pre-nuptial parties is Miss Dorothea Evelyn Schweitzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Schweitzer, 2467 256th St., Lomita, whose wedding to Corporal Cullin P. Deck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Deck, of Long Beach, will be a beautiful event of Aug. 27, at 8 p.m., at the First Methodist church, in San Pero.

Both the bride-elect and the future bridegroom were members of the 1952 graduating class at Narbonne High school. Miss Schweitzer then went to Pepperdine college and this fall will enter to complete her senior year with a major in physical education. At the college she is a member of Kappa Kappa and Alpha Gamma sororities.

Mr. Deck, upon completion of his high school course, signed with the Boston Red Sox for one year before entering the United States Marine Corps. He will be discharged in October and plans to continue his education.

Miss Schweitzer has chosen Mrs. Yvonne Oldfield of San Bruno as her matron of honor. Miss Kay Vinger of Inglewood as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will include twin sisters, Kathy and Christy Schweitzer and Beulah Fellstrom and Maggie Deck. Eddie Deck will serve as best man.

A series of courtesies are being given for the future bride.

On Friday evening, Aug. 5, a linen shower was given by Mrs. Karl Raines of Lomita. Co-hostesses at this affair were Mrs. Leonard Cole of Houston, Texas, and Miss Maggie Deck of Long Beach. On Aug. 9, the bride-elect was honored at a personal shower, given by Mrs. Fred Spaan and Mrs. T. A. Sorenson, and last Saturday afternoon a large number of friends brought miscellaneous gifts to a party given by Mrs. Steve Rivarshi, Mrs. T. A. McWaid and Mrs. Paul Berglund.

FAMILY VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eisenbrandt and daughter, Jo Anne, 1012 Acacia Ave., returned last Thursday evening from a ten-day camping trip in Yosemite. En route home, they were overnight guests of Mrs. Eisenbrandt's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Schauer in Fresno. On the week end before going to Yosemite, the Eisenbrandts made a trip to Arrowhead.

Old Friends Get-Together

Miss Annabelle Crawford, who arrived from Arkansas for a visit here with relatives, was the incentive for a get-together of old friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Cook, 2207 Carson St., last Wednesday evening.

Many years ago, this group had formed a Bible study class, taught by Mrs. Lorna Hammack. The class is now known as the Berean class of the First Christian church.

As the group spent the evening reminiscing and looking at old pictures, punch was served. Later in the evening refreshments were enjoyed.

Those attending with Mr. and Mrs. Cook and the honoree were Lorna Hammock, Redondo; Leona Bishop Russell, Compton; Gladys Cavitt, Long Beach; Mildred Edwards, Alhambra; Gladys Mothersell, Leona Billingsley, Irma O'Cain, Gladys Pietzschke, Vivian Cook and Bud Edwards.

Flower Club Slates Event

Greenthumbers Garden Club of Allied Gardens held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Peter Zeimet on Thursday, July 21. Mrs. William Fitzgerald, president, was in charge of the meeting which was attended by 13 members and two guests, Mrs. Carl Dirreen and Mrs. Laura Hardwick.

Final arrangements for the flower show held July 23 were made and the club also decided to enter the South Bay Flower show held July 30. Their entry "A Child's Garden," received honorable mention.

In a game of scramble of flower names the prize was won by Mrs. Joseph Fitzgerald who also won the door prize. Refreshments were then served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, Aug. 18. Anyone interested in joining the club may call Mrs. Howard Elliott.

TO COLORADO

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull and children, Johnny and Doris Ann., left by car Friday afternoon for Colorado. They will visit with Mrs. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Shaklee in Keenesburg, Colo., and will spend several days at Pagosa Springs.

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NEW OFFICERS . . . of the North Torrance Fuchsia Society, one of the fastest growing flower groups in Southern California, were installed at a meeting at McMaster's Park last Tuesday evening. New leaders pictured from the left, are: Mrs. Lena Cage, treasurer; Mrs. Elsa Stone, state representative; Clarence De Camp, president, and the only man charter member of the group, and Mrs. Laura Pesola, vice-president. William Hess, vice president of the National California Fuchsia Society conducted the installation. Seventy persons, including officers and members of Fuchsia clubs from the area, attended the ceremony.