

NEW RESIDENTS ARE WELCOMED

Introducing friends who have become new residents of Hollywood Riviera was the occasion for the bridge-luncheon given Friday by Mrs. David Hurford, 353 Camino de las Colinas.

The guests of honor were Mrs. Wendell Highbee, who moved here recently from Manhattan Beach, and Mrs.

Kenneth Harding, who with her husband are recent arrivals from Philadelphia.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Meses. Thomas O'Malley, William Mantras, Lee Washington, Paul Roetiger, Pierce Venable, Alex Hunt, Theo Linhart, Ross Dorsett and Willard Wanke.



MRS. JAMES G. PERKINS
... To Reside in Barstow

Geraldine Wood Becomes Mrs. Perkins In Rites at St. Andrew's Presbyterian

Lovely in her wedding gown of pink satin and lace was Miss Geraldine Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Parrish, 405 Via Linda Vista, last Sunday afternoon when she exchanged her wedding vows with James Gary Perkins of Barstow.

The wedding ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. Paul Cox at the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in Redondo Beach in the presence of the immediate families.

Mr. Parrish gave his daughter in marriage. Her pink lace and satin gown was ballerina length, fashioned with a full skirt and a scoop neckline. She wore a miniature pink satin hat with a short veil and carried a white Bible topped with white camellias tied with white satin streamers.

Mrs. James F. Wood served as the matron of honor. She wore a chic beige light wool afternoon dress with a small matching hat. Her flowers were cymbidium orchids.

James Wood, brother of the bride, stood as best man. After the ceremony the newlyweds and their families enjoyed a wedding dinner at the Plush Horse. The couple then left for San Francisco on a honeymoon before going to Barstow to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrish are planning a reception in honor of their daughter and her husband on Feb. 10 at the Portuguese Bend Club.

Their Southern California University friends have been invited to a party in Alhambra honoring them on Feb. 3. Hosts at this affair will be Miss Kathy Stoll and Dr. and Mrs. William Cheverton.

The bride is a graduate of

the USC School of Commerce and received her teaching credentials from Long Beach State college. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega and Gamma Alpha Chi sororities. Mrs. Perkins taught at the Riviera Elementary school and for the past two years she has been associated with her parents in their stationery store here. Mrs. Perkins has been an active member of the Torrance Junior Woman's club.

Mr. Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olfred Leroy Perkins of Bakersfield, was graduated from the Bakersfield High school and California Polytechnic. He is now employed by the California Highway Patrol stationed in Barstow.

Club Hostess

Mrs. J. J. Rice was hostess to her bridge club last Wednesday evening at her home 4602 Greenmeadow Ave.

At the close of the game the high score prize was won by Mrs. C. Strayer and low by Mrs. B. F. Townsend.

A dessert course was served after the games. Mrs. Rice's guests were Meses. Howard Walker, Eugene Lenk, C. Strayer, H. W. Sommer, Robert Kerber, William Starr and B. F. Townsend.

The March meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. H. W. Sommer, 4538 Greenmeadow.

Entertains

Mrs. Howard Schott entertained her bridge club last Tuesday evening.

At the close of the bridge games, the hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Schott's guests were Meses. Laura Felker, Delbert Thomsen, Ralph Rugraff, Robert Moffitt, Kenneth Dudley, Lee Kendall and Mrs. Ray Rogers who substituted for Mrs. John Melville.

Mrs. Thomsen will be hostess at the club's next meeting.

Romantic Setting for Valentine Ball on Feb. 9

Flirtatious cupids and oversized red and gilt hearts will provide theme decor for the sixth annual Torrance Hospital Auxiliary Valentine's Benefit Ball at the Mayflower Ballroom in Inglewood Saturday, Feb. 9, Mrs. James C. Anderson, decorations committee chairman, announced yesterday.

Along with the colorful additions to the hall provided by the local ladies, the exotic recessed floor lights will offer a romantic atmosphere for this important winter social event, she said.

Serving with Mrs. Anderson on the busy committee are Meses. Grover Whyte, Gerald Eastham, Paul Winn, and J. W. Post.

After an evening of dancing there will be a presentation of a \$500 cash treasure chest, followed by the traditional after-hours buffet supper.

Mrs. Don Hyde is in charge of buffet arrangements. Proceeds from the ball will go toward the development

and expansion of the Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial Hospital, which institution serves Torrance and this greater metropolitan area of close to a quarter of a million persons.

Reservations for the semi-formal event — which perennially draws Torrance and South Bay society en masse — can be made by calling Mrs. R. W. McNiel.



AMID HEARTS, FLOWERS AND CUPIDS . . . south bay society will dance for charity on Feb. 9 at the Mayflower ballroom when the Torrance Hospital auxiliary stages its annual "Valentine Ball." All set to further enhance the beautiful ballroom, in keeping with the Valentine motif, are these members of the decorating committee (from left), Mrs. R. A. Bingham, Mrs. Paul A. Winn, Mrs. Gerald M. Eastham and Mrs. James C. Anderson. Proceeds from the ball will go to the fund to furnish rooms at the hospital. A goal of \$6,000 has been set.

Farewell Party

Guests of honor at a special neighborhood party recently were Mr. and Mrs. Don Porter, who are moving to West Covina. They were given a large copper plate and a maple towel holder as "goodbye" presents.

The party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Briner, 1008 Kornblum. The evening was spent playing games and dancing and refreshments were served buffet-style.

Those enjoying the evening were Messrs. and Meses. Sid Gans, Barton Tatum, Tom Randall, John McVey, Phillip Carpenter, Porter, Mrs. Helen Heath, Delo Schultz and the hosts.

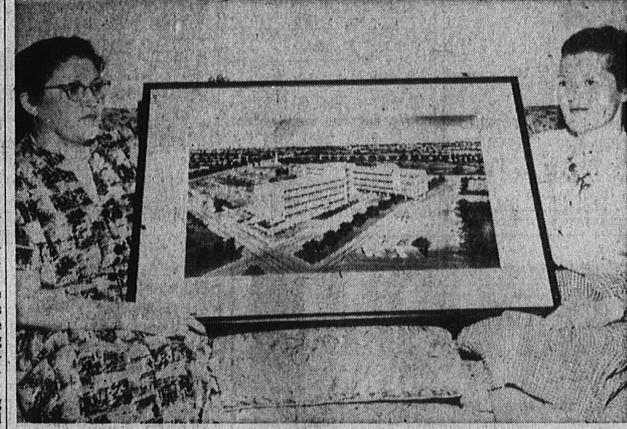
ENTERTAIN FOR HOUSEGUESTS

Enjoying a weekend recently at San Mortiz at Crestline, Calif. were Mr. and Carl Wolff and their houseguests, Mr. Wolff's mother, Mrs. Max Wolff and his nephew, Dean Roepke, both of Milwaukee.

The visitors enjoyed a trip to Disneyland, Knott's Berry Farm and the other Southland sights.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmalz entertained at dinner for them last Friday.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Wolff gave a dinner party in honor of their guests. Those attending were Messrs. and Meses. Reese, Henry Schmalz, Mrs. Gordon Shader and Mrs. Wolf and Dean. Mrs. Wolff and her grandson will return to Milwaukee this week.



THE ARCHITECT'S DRAWING . . . of the Little Company of Mary Catholic hospital to be built in Torrance is being displayed by Mrs. Joseph Terkmany, left and Mrs. J. T. Bailey, right, members of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America. The court will stage its annual mid-winter card party on Monday evening Jan. 28 at the parish hall. Proceeds from the affair will go to the hospital fund. All kinds of card games, door prizes, prizes at each table and refreshments are being offered. Tickets are on sale now or may be purchased at the door.

CDA Card Party Jan. 28

To aid the fund for the new Little Company of Mary Hospital, Court St. Catherine of the Catholic Daughters of America have planned a series of card parties. Opening this project to aid the hospital fund will be the big public card party next Monday evening, Jan. 28, to be followed by a series of smaller benefits in the homes of the members.

The court's grand regent, Mrs. Joseph Terkmany, and Mrs. Lyle J. O'Hara will be co-hostesses at the first of the home card parties at the latter's home, 1615 Fern Ave., on Thursday, Feb. 7.

Other court members who will open their homes for benefit affairs at future dates will be Mrs. Leonard Young, Mrs. Jay T. Bailey, Mrs. Murray L. Rudnick and Mrs. William A. Healey.

Mallo-Peckham Names Are Linked in Marriage Jan. 19

To the strains of the wedding march guests stood last Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Nativity Catholic Church to await the entrance of the bride, Miss Carolyn Mallo, who exchanged rings and vows with McCleary A. Peckham, son of Mrs. M. A. Peckham of Manhattan Beach.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mallo, 1121 Cerise Ave., came to the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a ballerina length wedding gown of Chantilly lace fashioned with a high neckline and a bouffant skirt. A tiara held her illusion veil and she carried white orchids surrounded by stephanotis.

Miss Janice Brimley as maid of honor wore a blue chiffon

afternoon gown and carried a cascade of pink carnations. Miss Jean Brimley was the bridesmaid. Her gown was of pink chiffon and she also carried a cascade of pink carnations.

Nick Pappes stood as best man and Raymond Wenger served as usher. The Rev. P. J. McGuinness officiated at the marriage which took place before four white standards of white candles flanked with four baskets of white carnations.

Mrs. Minnie McConologue played the wedding music and the "Ave Maria."

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. The table was centered with a white tiered wedding cake encircled with white rosebuds. A wedding bell tree also stood on the table and adding to the decor was a small lighted church with the entire bridal party.

The couple then left for a honeymoon in Palm Springs and Idylwild before the bridegroom leaves for Texas for three months with the Air Force. The bride will remain here with her parents and tentative plans are that she and her husband will then go to Germany on a two-year assignment.

Mrs. Peckham was graduated from Torrance High school in 1955. She was a member of Tartar Ladies and Debutantes.

Mr. Peckham was graduated from Loyola University in 1955. He is a member of Sigma Rho fraternity, ROTC, and SAE, and is at present an officer in the Air Force. His new assignment is Laredo, Texas.



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... On Honeymoon



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... Recites Vows



(Crotty Photo) MRS. McCLEARY A. PECKHAM
... On Her Wedding Day

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