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**MRS. LARRY D. STEBBINS**  
 ... On Honeymoon

**Holbert - Stebbins Nuptials  
 Read in Baptist Ceremony**

Approximately 150 relatives and friends assembled at the Avalon Baptist Church last Saturday afternoon at 2 to witness the marriage of Miss Carolyn Holbert and Larry D. Stebbins. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Holbert, 22319 Dolores St. and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stebbins, of Mira Costa, are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Lillian Smith, pianist, played the nuptial music and accompanied Miss Carla Baker, who sang "I Believe" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The Rev. Harry Lanham officiated at the vow exchange.

The bride approached the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a white Chantilly

lace and tulle gown. The bodice had a sequined trimmed neckline and a pannier of white tulle tiers was down the side of the full skirt. The French illusion veil fell from a pearl and sequin trimmed lace crown and the bride's bouquet was of white orchids and carnations.

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**Jr. District  
 Slates Event  
 For Mothers**

Juniors will honor their mothers and seniors of Marina District, CFWC, at their February meeting to be held at Pacific Palisades Woman's clubhouse, 901 Haverford St., Pacific Palisades, Monday, at 8 p.m.

There will be two outstanding events on the evening's program. This is the annual district Penny Art Display where members will compete for awards in fine arts. Mrs. John Moore is district Penny Art chairman.

Both juniors and seniors have been busy at their sewing machines recently, making their interpretation of what a well-dressed clubwoman would wear, they have entered the Vogue Sewing contest. Winners from each of the clubs in the district will present a fashion show Monday night and a junior and senior costume judged best from this group will then compete on a state level.

The hostess club, Pacific Palisades Juniors, will serve refreshments.

**'Ticktockers' Of  
 National Charity  
 League Organized**

The fifth chapter of "Ticktockers" of the National Charity League has been organized to include Hollywood Riviera, Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills and other peninsula communities. The first meeting of the Peninsula Patronesses was held at the home of Mrs. J. Weare Pearson II, in Rolling Hills and the first meeting of the Ticktockers was held there on Dec. 7.

The National Charity League founded in 1925 is organized solely for social, cultural, and philanthropic purposes, the mothers working as patroness sponsors with their "Ticktockers Daughters."

The new chapter is the fifth in the Southland. Mrs. Pearson was invited to form the peninsula chapter. She and her daughter, Pam, are members of the Los Angeles chapter.

The National Charity League brings together mothers and

daughters interested in social service to the community and provides proper training in such work, as well as developing a correct social cultural sense among the young members. Each group, with its own governing board and senior sponsor group, has as its social highlight an annual Mother-Daughter tea and an annual Formal Ball.

The League maintains a national scholarship fund for the benefit of worthy women students throughout the country.

Plans for the local group includes gradual expansion which will result in a group of Ticktockers for each grade, seven through 12.

The newly formed Ticktockers have made hand puppets for children at the Harlan Shoemaker hospitals, tray favors for the elderly in local hospitals. Both the senior and junior groups are collecting magazines, books and records for the young people at Juvenile Hall in the hope that these things will help with the rehabilitation of these youngsters.

Officers elected for the new National Charity League Peninsula Provisionals are: president: Mrs. J. Weare Pearson II; vice president: Mrs. Henry A. Graef; secretary, Mrs. L. Reed Waters; treasurer, Mrs. Robert W. Limacher; board members, Mmes. James C. Franks, Stanton Swafford, Jack Davidson, Earl D. Lackey, Roland L. Amberg, Harold F. Bowen and Edward R. Dale.

Provisional Patronesses and their Junior Ticktockers daughters are: Mrs. William H. Back and Devon; Mrs. Harold F. Bowen and Ann; Mrs. Henry Graef and Nancy; Mrs. Lawrence J. Horan and Pam; Mrs. Robert Y. Irwin and Vicki; Mrs. Earl D. Lackey and Louisa; Mrs. Richard W. Park and Ann; Mrs. Wilbur F. Snelling and Sally; Mrs. Stanton Swafford and Robyn; Mrs. James Thomas Walsh and Maureen; Mrs. L. Reed Waters and Linda; and Mrs. George T. Yewell and Susan.

Provisional Patronesses and their Senior Ticktockers daughters are: Mrs. Roland L. Amberg and Tish; Mrs. Eugene H. Chace and Pam; Mrs. Edward R. Dale and Barbara; Mrs. Jack Davidson and Sherry; Mrs. Lowell L. Dryden, Megan and Penny; Mrs. James C. Franks and Katie; Mrs. Wallace J. Ginder and Jill; Mrs. Aubrey Horn and Pam; Mrs. Robert L. Limacher and Trish; and Mrs. William M. Pulisevich and Chris.

The Senior Ticktockers officers are: president, Tish Amberg; vice president, Megan Dryden; secretary, Penny Dryden; treasurer, Katie Franks; philanthropy, Chris Pulisevich and historian, Tricia Limacher.

The Junior Ticktockers officers are: president, Devon Beck; vice president, Susan Yewell; secretary, Robyn Swafford; treasurer, Pam Horan; philanthropy, Linda Waters, and historian, Ann Park.



**HEART FUND SUNDAY** ... In conjunction with the National Drive for the Heart Fund next Sunday, the Hollywood Riviera area will be canvassed. Those who will be directing the drive in the Riviera are from the left, Mrs. B. J. Russell, Mrs. E. J. Weller, chairman, Mrs. Richard Wilson and Mrs. B. L. Holt. A door-to-door canvass is planned.

**Heart Chairman Named  
 For Hollywood Riviera**

Mrs. Ernest J. Weller will serve as Heart Sunday chairman for Hollywood Riviera, it was announced by Mrs. James Morton, regional chairman of the 1958 residential collection to be conducted Feb. 23.

Heart Sunday will mark a high point in the month-long campaign to raise \$1,000,000 for the Los Angeles County Heart Assn's. fight against the heart diseases.

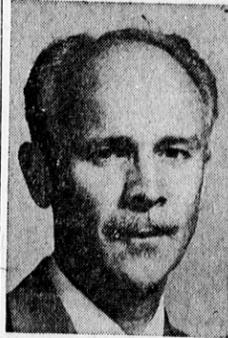
Part of Mrs. Weller's duties will be to organize an army of volunteers to call on every family in the community in a house-to-house collection for the Heart Fund. Working with Mrs. Weller will be three area chairmen—Mrs. Benjamin Russell, Mrs. Richard Wilson and Mrs. Burnell Holt, who will be responsible for assigning and briefing detachments of volunteers in their respective areas.

"Many Hollywood Riviera residents have already signed up to serve as 1958 Heart Fund volunteers on Heart Sunday, Feb. 23, between the hours of 1 and 4 p.m., but we must have more in order to call on every home in the area," Mrs. Weller declared.

Previous drives have shown that volunteers can complete the house-to-house calls in about an hour.

"The Heart Sunday volunteer performs an important service to the community and derives self-satisfaction in accomplishing a valuable public service with the investment of relatively little time and energy," the chairman said.

Residents may volunteer their services for Heart Sunday by phoning Mrs. Weller, or Mrs. Wilson.



**JOE LITTLEFIELD**  
 ... To Speak Here

**Garden Unit  
 Silver Tea  
 Slated Feb. 26**

Joe Littlefield, one of the Southland's foremost garden authorities, will be the guest speaker when the Garden Section of the Torrance Woman's Club entertains at its annual silver tea and program on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia. This event is open to the public.

Mr. Littlefield, famous for down-to-earth, understandable garden advice, will discuss "Bareroot, Pruning and General Gardening."

"In his lectures, articles, and television appearances, Joe Littlefield reveals a blend of horticultural knowledge, sincere interest in the home gardener's problems and refreshing enthusiasm. Happy, homespun bits of garden philosophy enliven his informal talks," said Mrs. John Thuss, Garden Section chairman.

"Anyone," he maintains, "can be a good gardener. The fundamentals of good gardening aren't complicated; they're easy to learn. Simply apply them conscientiously and you are almost bound to get good results."

**Friends Fete  
 Thatchers at  
 Farewell Party**

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Thatcher and their two sons, who have been Hollywood Riviera residents for several years, left last week end to make their home in Saratoga, where Mr. Thatcher has been transferred by the Standard Oil Co.

Last Friday evening a group of friends entertained the Thatchers at a dinner party at the Polynesian. Mrs. Thatcher was presented with an orchid. After dinner, the group went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Schindler, 217 Via La Ciruela, where the party continued.

In the group with the Thatchers and the Schindlers were Messrs. and Mmes. Forest Yoder, William Blair, Al Koester, Mark Keith, Doug Jarvis, Robert Bryne, Kermit Mikelson, Jerry Anstrom, Robert Mills and Mrs. Lorraine Moir.

**TO APPLE VALLEY**  
 Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Bauman and son, Bill, will spend next week end at Apple Valley where they will spend their time golfing.



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**MISS DARLENE HOUSTON**  
 ... A Future Bride

**Darlene Houston's Troth to  
 Thomas Bogetich Announced**

Miss Darlene Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carol O. Houston, 25631 Cypress Ave., Lomita, is engaged to Thomas Bogetich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bogetich, of San Pedro.

The romantic news was disclosed to forty close friends and relatives at a party last Saturday evening given by the future bride's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Boyce on Loftview Dr.

The names of the engaged pair were on individual match covers and on the large cake centering the table.

Miss Houston was graduated from Narbonne High School in 1955. She is a receptionist at National Supply Co.

Her fiance, a San Pedro graduate, is working on his engineering major at Harbor Junior College.

No date has been set for the wedding.



**MISS CECILY BOND**  
 ... June Bride-Elect

**Cecily Bond Will Become  
 Mrs. Glen Thomson June 14**

The spirit of St. Valentine's Day prevailed at the lovely engagement party given at the Hollywood Riviera home of Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Nance, when their niece, Miss Cecily Bond's troth to Glen A. Thomson, was announced. As Mrs. Nance played Lohengrin's wedding March, the announcement was made by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David E. Bond, of Hermosa Beach.

Details of the wedding were revealed when a large heart was opened showing the wedding date as June 21, with a Honolulu honeymoon to follow.

Attending the party were close friends, sorority sisters, teaching colleagues and parents of the future bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Thomson, of Uplanti, Mich.

The bride-elect was graduated from Mira Costa High School. She has been South Bay tennis champion, American

Field Service exchange student to Finland, and recipient of the North American Aviation Scholarship. Miss Bond is attending USC where she is a Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority pledge, president of Troeds, the freshman women's organization.

The benedict received his BS degree from Eastern Michigan College, attended UCLA, and Long Beach State College receiving his MA degree. He has also worked as senior problems teacher at Mira Costa and was executive director of Boys Club at Laguna. In addition to his real estate investments, he is currently attending USC seeking an advanced degree.



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**MISS VICKI HAGAN**  
 ... Plans June Wedding

**Vicki Hagan-Stan Becker  
 Set June 14 Wedding Day**

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hagan, 233 Via Pasqual, are today formally announcing engagement and wedding plans of their daughter, Vicki, to Stan Becker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Becker, of Hermosa Beach.

The wedding will take place in the Banberry Room at the Plush Horse on June 14.

Relatives and close friends were told of the engagement at a dinner party given by the bride-elect's parents. Miss Hagan was graduated from Torrance High School in 1956, where she was homecoming queen and song queen. She then attended El Camino where she was also a song queen and yell leader.

The future bridegroom was graduated from Redondo High. He played varsity football, was president of the Boys League and was "Athlete of the Year 1952."

He also attended El Camino, where he played varsity ball and was in the Junior Rose Bowl game of 1954.

**POSTS ENTERTAIN POT-LUCK GROUP**

The travel theme was cleverly used by Mr. and Mrs. James Post when they entertained their pot luck group recently at their Sonoma Ave. home.

Travel posters were used in decorating and each couple brought a foreign dish.

Attending the party were Messrs. and Mmes. George Post, John Barrington, Kenneth Miller, Bob Leech, Bob Tolson, and Werner Sommers.

The George Posts will be hosts at the group's March meeting.

**ATTEND DIOR SHOW**

Mrs. William Luzan, 1122 Fayesmith Ave., entertained five guests at luncheon and the Christian Dior fashion show at the Pacific Coast Club in Long Beach, Tuesday. Mrs. Luzan's guests were Mmes. William Floyd, Charles Strayer, George Lehr, Norman Cedarburg and Robert Brownell.

**Card Party**

Continuing a series of diminishing bridge parties for the Torrance Woman's Club, Mrs. W. C. Boswell entertained two tables of guests at a dessert bridge first week at her home, 2842 Om. Jo.

Mrs. Boswell's guests were Mmes. Glady's Noeth, Betty Edmunds, Charles Rippey Jr., Warren Hamilton, M. A. Bauman, D. J. Quinlan, Frank Kelley and Richard Beecher.