

Fashion Show Announced by B-PW Club

Latest in fashions will be on display March 16, when the Lomita Business and Professional Women's Club and the Los Angeles Recreation and Park Commission combine to stage a fashion show and dessert luncheon.

The event will be held, 2-4 p.m. in the recreation hall at Lomita Park.

Theme of the show will be "Fantasy in Fashion" and all of the clothes displayed will be furnished by local merchants and modeled by club members.

Proceeds of the fashion show will go into a scholarship fund to be awarded to a girl in the senior class at Narbonne High School who has shown outstanding scholastic and academic achievement during her high school years.

Reservations should be made with Dorothy Hogan of Lomita or Marie Johnson of Harbor City, by March 14. Door prizes will be awarded.

Group Meets

Lambda Eta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. Edwin Herd, 8044 Denrock Ave., Westchester, recently. Mrs. Robert Phinizy was co-hostess.

A party was planned for members and prospective members to be held Saturday at the Herd home.

The hostess also presented the program for the evening "In the Garden." Mrs. Helen Klamm of Montana was a guest at the meeting.

RECUPERATING

Mrs. Mathalia Wilson, 4618 Carmelynn, is now in Gardena Community Hospital, recovering from major surgery which she underwent on Feb. 26.



MRS. THOMAS VANDERPOOL
... Valentine Bride

Mr., Mrs. Thomas Vanderpool Now at Home in Long Beach

Climaxing a romance which began on the campus at El Camino College was the Valentine wedding of Miss Billy Jean Sunday of Inglewood and V. Thomas Vanderpool of Torrance. The lovely red and white wedding was solemnized on Feb. 14 at the First Christian Church with the Rev. H. M. Sipple, pastor, officiating.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Kathleen Sunday, Inglewood, wore a Cahill original of white peau de soie. The wide lace insert in the full skirt fell into a chapel train. The French illusion veil cascaded from a pearl crown and the bride's bouquet was a white net heart holding two orchids and stephanotis. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Garland Norton.

Mrs. Eugene Blodgett was the matron of honor. She wore a white chiffon semi-formal with a red candy-striped bustle. She also wore a large red hat and slippers and carried a heart shaped bouquet of red roses.

The bridesmaids were Misses Diana Ditmore, Sandra Smith and Sandra Horton. Their gowns and bouquets

were identical to those of the matron of honor.

The duties of best man were performed by James Hayworth. Ushers were Barrett Lee, Raymond Vanderpool and Russell Vanderpool.

Eleanor Hanes played the wedding music and accompanied William Horton, uncle of the bride, who sang "Because."

The 150 wedding guests were entertained at a reception at the church.

The bride was graduated from Morningside High School and El Camino College. She is now majoring in medical technology at Long Beach State College.

The bridegroom was graduated from Torrance High School and El Camino. He is studying at the Long Beach City College majoring in physical education.

The newlyweds are at home in Long Beach.

IN SANTA MONICA

Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, president of the Torrance Woman's Club, was a guest on Feb. 25 at the Past Presidents' Club of Santa Monica at their Federation and Reciprocity luncheon meeting.

AT POLYNESIAN

Among the guests from Torrance, who were recently noted dining at The Polynesian in Waleria, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lydon, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ball, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blumenthal, Robert L. Madajinski, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Lorange, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thims and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sharples.

Torrance Hospital Auxiliary Membership Affair Tuesday

Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will entertain prospective members at a luncheon Tuesday at the hospital. Following the luncheon a tour of the hospital will be made. Mrs. James Anderson is serving as luncheon chairman.

Beginning at 11:30 a.m. a punch bowl will be served for members and guests. Luncheon will be served cafeteria style by Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. H. F. Heinlein, Mrs. Dean Sears and Mrs. Walter Wolf.

Preparing food dishes for

the affair will be Mmes. Robert Sleeth, Jr., Philip Halloran, W. Wolf, Russell Shea, T. Rossele, H. F. Heinlein, John Schwartz, Eugene Cook, William Grubbs, W. I. Laughon, John Popovich.

Others will be Mmes. Len Ensminger, R. A. Bingham, Dean Sears, James Stavert, C. E. Easley, John Melville, John Stevens, George Peek and Emil Litchina.

Swinea Rites

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A reception was held in the church recreational hall. Guests were registered by Kay Driscoll and Sue Mine.

The bride was graduated from Narbonne High School in 1957. She was a member of the Thespian society.

Her husband is a graduate of the Archer City High School in Wichita Falls, Tex.

YW Delegates

Mrs. Don Wolf of Torrance will be among the eight Harbor Area YWCA, officials attending the 21st National Triennial Convention of the Y organization in St. Louis, Mo.

The convention will get under way March 13 and continue through March 19.

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Arbor Day Ceremony Tomorrow

Torrance Terrace Garden Club and the North Torrance Fuchsia Society will celebrate Arbor Day tomorrow, March 7, with the planting of 10 trees on the south side of the Torrance Civic Center. The trees, a gift to the clubs, include five flowering cherry trees and five flowering plum trees.

The ceremony will begin at 3 p.m. with a Boy Scout troop presenting the colors. A trumpet solo will follow.

The trees will be presented to the city by Mrs. Minot Rugg, president of the Torrance Garden Club, and Mrs. Philip Clark, president of the Fuchsia Society.

They will be accepted by Mayor Isen.

Margaret Graham to Marry Edwin L. Bledsoe in Fall

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Lewis, 1643 W. 214th St., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Margaret E. Graham, to Edwin L. Bledsoe of Malibu.

The benedict-elect is the son of Mrs. May I. Hogan of Malibu and John Bledsoe of Lomita.

A graduate of Narbonne High School, class of '38, the bride-elect also attended Long Beach City College.

Her fiancé is a graduate of San Pedro High School, class of '38, and is in the fishing industry.

The couple has planned a late fall wedding.



MISS RACHAEL HOGAN
... A June Bride

Rachael Hogan Plans to Wed Earl Holmstedt Jr. in June

Mrs. Cecilia Hogan, 2313 Carson St., is announcing the engagement and wedding plans of her daughter, Rachael Hogan, to Earl F. Holmstedt, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Holmstedt of Torrance.

The wedding will take place June 28 at the Nativity Catholic Church.

The bride-elect will be graduated from Torrance High School in June. She is now employed at a local credit bureau.

Her fiancé received his early schooling in Missouri, and was graduated from Serra High School in 1955. He is presently employed by a local firm.

ATTEND TEA AT INGLEWOOD CLUB

Mrs. G. C. Van Deventer and Mrs. John Melville attended the World Friendship Tea at the Inglewood Woman's Club on Feb. 26. Mrs. Joseph L. Morgan, California international hostess, south, was the speaker.

Mrs. Van Deventer is the international relations chairman for the Torrance Woman's Club and Mrs. Melville is community service chairman.

Utah Woman Honored on Anniversary

Mrs. Jack Cook of Orem, Utah, celebrated her 70th birthday anniversary Sunday as sons, daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren gathered to pay their respects.

The party was held at the Clarence Jordan home, 20947 S. Denker Ave., and 58 guests attended the potluck affair. Mr. and Mrs. Cook have been vacationing in the Southland since December and will return home this week.

The seven of her 15 children who were present Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Fred Nelson of Lynwood, Gilbert Cook of Huntington Park, Mrs. Roy Chamberland of Los Angeles, Mrs. Carl Knight of Gardena, Lee Barney of Lynwood, Mrs. James Jeffs of Torrance, and Mrs. Clarence Jordan. Husband, wives, 17 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren completed the family group.

The honoree's sister, Mrs. Ed Christopherson and her family of Lynwood, also attended. An added surprise was the appearance of Wayne Jordan, Mrs. Cook's grandson, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jordan. Wayne just received his discharge from the United States Army after serving in Korea and later being stationed at Fort Polk, La. He arrived home Saturday, just in time for the surprise party.

DINING OUT

Enjoying the tropical atmosphere while dining at the Polynesian in Waleria recently were Mr. and Mrs. William H. Glavin of Palos Verdes, Mr. and Mrs. John Bichler of Hollywood Riviera, Mr. and Mrs. Don Herbert of Rolling Hills, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Georgeson of Palos Verdes, and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hybertsen of Rolling Hills.

Gardening Is Topic at Club Meet

"The Big Spring Push" was the topic of the gardening talk made by Mrs. J. W. Jensen of the Begonia Farm in Bellflower, at the meeting of the Torrance Terrace Garden Club held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Phillip Lisman 1503 Post Ave.

Mrs. Jensen pointed out the necessary chores to be done in the garden now to insure a more beautiful garden in the summer and fall. She also gave tips on the culture of begonias, fuchsias, African violets and other shade plants. The speaker also donated a number of door prizes among them a camellia won by Mrs. J. Lenassi.

A dessert course was served prior to the program.

Attending were Mmes. Frank Bovimka, E. Klein, William Hunter, J. A. O'Neill, George Powell, R. Goldstone, Victor Benstead, John Ericson, B. R. Baine, M. B. Solomon, R. W. Bishop, Lena Scatchard, Ida Hechinger, M. Schanahan, Philip Clark, M. Culver, Rose Hinkle, J. Lenassi, Rosalie and Dallas Boyko, A. C. Turner, Minot Rugg, Wilfred Stevens and P. Lisman.

The Garden Club's next meeting will be held on March 12 at the home of Mrs. Lena Scatchard in Long Beach.

GOP Women Plan to Hear Kramer Talk

Milton Kramer will be the speaker at the March 13 meeting of the South Bay Club of Republican Women.

His topic will be "The Republican Party Is You." He will consider viewpoints showing that there should be complete final integration in the Republican party and that each member should have work to do. Facts will be studied which will warn against any weakening of Republican state control.

Mr. Kramer will also speak concerning public relations and publicity projects for each Republican unit. In addition to being a member of the Republican speakers' committee, he is the chairman of the Republican research committee, a member of the Republican assembly and associate member of the Republican central committee.

During World War II, Mr. Kramer was on a destroyer and saw action in the South Pacific and Korea.

Foley Home Setting for Bridge Party

Mrs. F. P. Foley, Mrs. Lynn Hansen and Mrs. Dean Williams entertained three tables of guests at a desert-bridge at the Foley home in South Shores last Monday afternoon in conjunction with the series of parties being given for the Torrance Woman's Club.

The St. Patrick theme was used in decorating. An arrangement of green lilies decorated the dining table. Each table was centered with a bouquet of yellow and white marguerites, and tallies and place cards were in the shamrock motif.

In the games, following the serving of the dessert, the high score was held by Mrs. Lynn Hansen, second by Mrs. Stan Damerow, and third by Mrs. J. Brownley.

Guests were Mmes. Irving Wilson, Eugene Cook and Allen Pyatt, Torrance; Mmes. Betty Catherwood, S. Pennell, Stan Lessere, J. Brownley, A. Arrowsmith and Richard Nielsen, San Pedro.

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