



KRISTEN PEDERSON
... Dances with Ballet Russe

Kristen Pederson Appears In 'Nutcracker' Ballet

Pretty Kristen Pederson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Pederson, 16923 Osage Ave., Torrance, was awarded the important part of "Clara" in two performances of "The Nutcracker" Ballet with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo in their recent appearance in Los Angeles. Miss Pederson was very fortunate in having appeared with the world renowned dancers, Alicia Alonso and Igor Youskevich. Kristen attends Perry Elementary School in Torrance. She is 12 years old and in the 7th grade.

While the Ballet was in Los Angeles, Miss Tatiana Grantzeva, Ballet Mistress and Solo Dancer with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo gave three class lessons on Sunday afternoon for the members of the South Bay-Torrance Ballet Company at the Phyllis Moore Dance Studio.

Miss Grantzeva is one of the original members of the Ballet Russe, having joined the Ballet Company at its inception in 1938. She later formed her own company and has made guest appearances with the London

Festival Ballet, at which time she danced for the Queen. This was Miss Grantzeva's second teaching appearance at the Phyllis Moore Studio. During the course of the lessons she demonstrated techniques of many of the world's greatest teachers.

... Ann Landers

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ried, even looked at furniture. I'll skip the details but the love of my life turned out to be a semi-professional tramp. I poured out the incredible story to my best friend and he said, "Everyone knew what she was, everyone but you."

How can I trust another woman after this? Schopenhauer was right when he said the world is rotten and treachery of woman is the cause. Ideals, honor and faith are strictly for the suckers—Sadder but Wiser

Dear Sader: You angry young men who look backwards, sideways and everywhere but inside yourselves are great at blaming the evil, treacherous world (or, more specifically, the evil and treacherous female).

Why not admit you mistook a hunk of pop bottle for the Mogul diamond? Sure there are liars, cheats, phonies and scheming harpies around. But there are also millions of decent, loving, generous people with integrity. You made a bum selection, so take your medicine like a man.

Are you going steady? Making marriage plans? If so, send for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "Before You Marry — Is It Love or Sex?", enclosing with you request 20 cents in coin and a large, self-addressed, stamped envelope. (Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope. Copyright 1960, Field Enterprises, Inc.)

Mrs. Whited Named Queen

Mrs. Bert Whited, 13521 E. Casimir, Gardena, was chosen Queen of the Annual Sweetheart Ball, Saturday, Feb. 20, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall, presented by the South Bay Area Council of Beta Sigma Phi.

Four chapters participated in the event, each sponsoring a Princess. Mrs. Whited was the princess from Xi Zeta Lambda, Torrance chapter; Mrs. Alfred Macho was the princess from Xi Zeta Chi chapter, Gardena; Mrs. Ray Jennings, from Rho Xi, Lawndale chapter, and Mrs. Fred Tent, from Lambda Eta, Westchester Chapter.

Mrs. Robert Milligan, Queen of the 1959 Ball, presented the crown to Mrs. Whited, and a jeweled brooch in the form of a crown, as a remembrance of her honor.

Special guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. John Maurer of Downey. Mrs. Maurer is the president of the Southeast Area Council.

Members present from Xi Zeta Lambda were Messrs. and Mrs. Jack Hadley, John Wise, Bert Whited, Richard Evans, Raymond Millhouse, Robert Milligan, Lester Mayfield, William Schroeder, Mrs. Blanche Wright, Mrs. Fran Nichols and Mrs. Homer Webster.

Clubwomen In Bowling Tournament

Wednesday mornings are noted to members of Redondo Beach Dianas as bowling tournament time, and members of their group ensemble at the South Bay Bowling Center to engage in spirited competition.

Mrs. Marvin Jones, Diana bowling chairman, reports 24 of the club's roster are currently participating in trio handicaps. Choosing such intriguing team names as Spare Mrs., Holy Rollers, Gutter Dusters, Pin Getters, Little Miss Markers, Spare Tryers, Diana-Mites, and Oh Dears are the following Dianans:

Mmes. John Harrison, O. Brubaker, Robert Deebel, Robert Shank, Reynolds Gorsuch, Pat O'Leary, A. Jungk, Austin Stirtatt, Harold Black, Paul Taylor, Dennis Gleason, Arthur Gallen, Earl Thoma, Marvin Jones, L. Lancaster, Leonard Comer, Glenn Holshausen, H. Ince, Edward Curry, Herbert Mueller, Ralph Rector, B. McElroy and J. Fahnestock.

Mothers Meeting

Mothers club of Job's Daughters Bethel 137, Lomita, will meet March 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Edythe Fleeman, 2412 Nearcliffe Dr. in Torrance.



MRS. KEITH LYLE EDWARDS
... Former Gerilee Broce
(Portrait by Seeman)

Mr. & Mrs. Keith Edwards On Big Bear Honeymoon

Honeymooning at Big Bear Lake are Mr. and Mrs. Keith Lyle Edwards who were married last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Torrance Latter Day Saints Church. Mrs. Edwards is the former Gerilee Ann Broce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Worley Broce, 2516 Maricopa St., Torrance.

Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Edwards, 21818 S. Harvard Blvd., Torrance.

As the 325 wedding guests assembled, Miss Susan Higdon at the organ played the nuptial music.

The bride came to the altar on the arm of her father wearing a gown of ivory satin trimmed with peau de soie and Chantilly lace. Details of the gown were long sleeves, empire waistline and a Queen Anne collar. Appliques of lace ornamented with beads and pearls decorated the skirt. A tiara of lace, tulle and pearls held the silk illusion veil. White butterfly orchids and hyacinths formed the bridal bouquet.

Miss DeDe Spargur was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Alice Hanneman and Sherrill Berger. All were gowned in coral satin peau de soie sheath dresses with full tulle overskirts. Their bouquets were of aqua carnations.

Dennis Edwards stood as best man and ushers were Richard Broce and La Mar Edwards.

Bishop Neldon Rentmeister conducted the marriage ceremony. A reception followed at the church. Miss Joan Dawson was in charge of the guest book.

After the honeymoon, the newlyweds will be at home at

23877 Madison, Walteria.

Mr. Edwards was graduated from Torrance High school in 1959. She is a secretary for Douglas Aircraft.

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The local woman makes her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch S. Davidson.

Her brothers are David, superintendent of the San Diego County Union High school in Encinitas; Carnahan, connected

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Mothers Club Assists League Women's Auxiliary of Torrance Little League held monthly meeting at Washington School on Wednesday, March 2. The women were thanked for all their hard work on the spaghetti dinner. A profit of \$356.71 was made on the dinner.

A get-acquainted social for the team mothers and co-team mothers was discussed. It will be held Tuesday, March 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the Flavian School Cafeteria.

While the men are working night and day to get the new field ready for opening May 7, the women are supplying them with lunches.

Coffee, candy, and doughnuts will be sold at tryouts for the little league teams on March 12 and March 19 at Carl Steele School by the Women's Auxiliary.

Betsy Ross Club Betsy Ross club of the Torrance Eastern Star will hold its regular monthly meeting on March 15 at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave. Freda Shaffer, president, will conduct the business meeting. Dessert will be served.



WINS AT MARYMOUNT... Ada Dot Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hayes of Hollywood Riviera received a certificate which attests to her high academic promise from Rev. Mother Francoise, principal at Marymount Palos Verdes High school. (Stanford Photo)

Marymount Senior Named Finalist in Competition

One senior at Marymount Palos Verdes High School has been named finalist in the 1959-60 competition of the National Merit Scholarship Corp. Program and has been awarded a Certificate of Merit, according to Principal Rev. Mother Francoise.

Ada Dot Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hayes of San Diego and Hollywood Riviera has received the Certificate which attests to her high academic promise.

Miss Hayes distinguished herself by her high scores on two college aptitude tests used in the National Merit Scholarship competition. About six-tenths of one per cent of the seniors in each state received the awards. A national total of 10,000 students were honored.

Over 550,000 students were tested in the 1959-60 National Merit Scholarship competition which began last April. The test results have pared the competitors down to the finalists from which the Merit Scholars will be selected and announced this spring. They, and the colleges they have chosen will share in the several million dollars in Merit Scholarship funds to be offered by over 110 different organizations and individuals and by the Corporation itself. The winners will be announced about April 27, 1960.

Merit Scholarships are four-year awards, and carry stipends that range from \$100 a year to \$1500 a year. Each stipend is individually determined on the basis of need. The amount is based upon family resources, summer earnings, and college costs, all of which vary for each winner.

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Alums Study Mosaic Art

The art of mosaic will be the feature of the March 9 meeting of the South Bay Alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta. Mrs. M. Large, of the M. Large Mosaic Studio in Inglewood spoke to the group, and demonstrated the technique of mosaic work.

Cactus Club to Meet

The next meeting of the South Bay Cactus and Succulent Club will be on Friday evening, March 11, at 7:30 p.m. at the Lawndale Community Center, 147th St. and Burin Ave., Lawndale.

Joe Taylor, gardener for the Redondo Beach City Park, will be the speaker of the evening.

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Scout Benefit

Harbor City Scout Mothers Auxiliary will have a bake sale on March 12, 1960 in front of the market at 1709 Pacific Coast Highway.

Money made from bake sale will go to help pay the Scouts long term camp.

Next Auxiliary meeting will be held at the home of Evelyn Hampton 1737 253rd Place Lomita on March 16.

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Kathleen Has Birthday Party

Kathleen Anne McBee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McBee and sister of Mike, 15, celebrated her fourth birthday on Sunday, Feb. 28. Guests included her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Unzicker of South Gate, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Davies of Hollywood, Lori Sue Wilkison, Frankie Mangiagli, and Tim Johnson.

Games were played, and a luncheon of hot dogs, punch and cake was served.

Anna Grancell To Be Feted

The 78th birthday of Mrs. Anna Grancell will be celebrated by the Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer chapters of the Mt. Sinai hospital on April 6 at noon at the Plush Horse restaurant. There will be entertainment and prizes.

All members and friends are invited to attend.

Chairmen are Evelyn Allen and Evelyn Davis.

Book Review Set

Anna Grancell Heart and Cancer chapter of Mt. Sinai hospital will hear a review of the book "Astrology and You" by Carroll Righter on Thursday evening, April 14, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Cole, who will review the book.

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