



ON THEIR WAY . . . Wearing elegant fashions of the 1960 holiday season these three board members are on their way to the Las Vecinas brilliant holiday dinner dance at the Palos Verdes Country Club. They are from left, Mrs. Albert Kurz, club president; Mrs. Donald Meyer, second vice-president; and Mrs. David Hurford, parliamentary. Mrs. Frank Carroll was in charge of the winter wonderland decorations.

Hospital Auxiliary

'Candleglo' Christmas Party Slated Sunday

A golden Christmas tree decorated with exquisite white doves will decorate the hors d'oeuvre table when the South Bay Hospital Auxiliary awards campaign at the "Candleglo Christmas Party" to be held from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Palos Verdes Country Club, Sunday, Dec. 18.

Mrs. Joseph Walter, Hollywood Riviera, committee chairman, has announced plans are nearly completed for this gala event, and reservations are now being taken by her.

Music will be furnished by Bud Barlow and his orchestra. Transportation will be avail-

able for anyone wishing to attend, and arrangements should be made at the time the reservations are requested.

Others assisting Mrs. Walter are Mmes. Auten Bush, Hermosa Beach; Robert Strange and Lyle MacDonald, Manhattan Beach.

Hostesses for the event are Mrs. Thomas Stearns, Palos Verdes Estates; Mmes. Leland Cave, Carol Klotz, William Campbell, Herman Brandt, Felix Starr, all of Manhattan Beach; and Mrs. Charles E. Lockerby, Redondo Beach.

SOBADA CLUB'S YULE DANCE SATURDAY EVE

Sobada Dance Club will gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Luzan, 5014 Vista del Vegas for a cocktail party prior to going to the Fish Shanty for their Christmas dance next Saturday evening. Other members of the committee assisting with the cocktail party are Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gans and Mr. and Mrs. G. McDonald.

Frank James orchestra will play for dancing beginning at 9:30 p.m. There will also be a gift exchange.

Club Benefit

Mrs. John A. Tweedy invited a group to a "Wine Sip" at her home, 1325 Arlington Ave., on Dec. 7 between the hours of 11 and 12:30 p.m. This was another in the series of diminishing parties for the Torrance Woman's Club, and preceded the luncheon at the Clubhouse.

Among the invited guests were Mmes. C. E. Ackley Jr., Roy J. Apey, L. W. Ballard, M. J. Beale, R. A. Bingham, H. W. Bowman, J. N. Dabbs, S. J. Dunhouse, A. Z. England, R. C. Focha, H. G. Frentz, A. S. Moore, Godfrey Nelson, H. R. Richards, B. W. Roberts, Lee Clotworthy, E. C. St. Amand, Rufus Sandstrom, D. L. Sears, F. M. Shaw, Alma Smith, E. L. Snodgrass, Leonard Stamps, J. E. Stavert, and D. J. Thomson.



CHLOE CAMPBELL . . . March Bride

Engagement Announced By Parents

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Campbell of 2603 Nearcliff St., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Chloe Elaine Campbell, to Emerson Wesley Dauncey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dauncey of Detroit, Mich.

The couple met at Harbor Junior College where she was a member of Theta Chi Omega and he, Kappa Sigma Phi. The bride-elect was graduated from UCLA where she was affiliated with Alpha Chi Omega and is employed now as a Social Case Worker with the Bureau of Public Assistance in Long Beach.

Her fiancé attended Wayne University in Detroit and was affiliated with Theta Tau, an engineering fraternity, before serving two years with the 82nd Airborne. He is currently employed by American Airlines at Los Angeles and is studying at Los Angeles State College.

The couple have chosen March 18, 1961, as their wedding day and will honeymoon in Bermuda.



A TOAST TO SANTA . . . These members of the South Bay Hospital Auxiliary, from left, Martha Walter, Ann Zicaro and Marcine Galli tip their glasses to Santa Claus in preparation for the Auxiliary's "Candleglo" Christmas party Sunday evening from 4 until 8 p.m. The event will take place at the Palos Verdes Country Club.

Waddells Are Party Hosts

Heralding the holiday social season, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waddell were hosts to a group of friends at a Christmas party Saturday evening at their home, 1226 Cranbrook Ave.

Cocktails were enjoyed amid festive holiday decorations. Dancing was the main diversion for the evening followed by a midnight buffet.

Sharing the Waddells' hospitality were Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Lires, Jack Day, Douglas Baldwin, Charles Rippey, Jr., Richard Beecher, Lee Allen, Walter Kroneberger, Robert Pennell, Wayne Waddell, Jack Waddell, Edward Aiken and Dr. and Mrs. James K. Lees.

Fuchsia Society Holiday Party

Lomita Fuchsia Society will stage a pot luck turkey dinner, door prizes and gift exchange at their party on Dec. 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the American Legion Hall, 24702 Narbonne Ave., Lomita.

Joe Littlefield, one of the southland's favorite gardeners will be guest speaker in January. His topic will be "Pruning."

Patrick Doyle Born in Germany

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome G. Doyle are announcing the birth of a son on Nov. 27 at the United State Army Hospital in Nurnberg, Germany. The young man, who tipped the scales at 7 lbs. 3/4 oz., has been named Patrick Brian. Mrs. Doyle is the former Jean Hedberg McNeil of Torrance.

The baby's grandmother, Mrs. Bertha McNeil of Torrance, is staying with the parents and her first grandchild in Grafenworh, Germany, where Mr. Doyle is stationed with the United States Army Military Police.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McNeil, 1744 Andrea, long time residents of Torrance, are great-grandparents of the new baby. The other great-grandmother is Mrs. Nina Hedberg of Los Angeles. The baby's uncle, Brother John A. McNeil, S.M., formerly of Torrance, is now a student at the University of Dayton in Ohio.

In Death Valley

Dr. and Mrs. John Beeman with other members of the Aviation Country Club spent last weekend in Death Valley at Furnace Creek Inn. The club is made up of flyers who own their own planes.

Lady Lions

December business meeting of the Torrance Lioness club was held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Morris, 312 Via Pasqual. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Ray Wyatt, the meeting was conducted by Mrs. Dale Harter, vice president.

The Christmas party on Dec. 14 was discussed and the January social meeting will be a trip to Chinatown for dinner.

Several Lioness members accompanied their husbands to a dinner dance at the Monica Hotel in Santa Monica. Making the trip were Messrs. and Mmes. Fred Boren, Paul Diamond, Clarence Clark, Cecil Powell, A.F.R. Ewalt and Ralph Morris. Mr. Morris is president of the Torrance Lions club.

Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. J. A. Eisenbrandt entertained at a bridge luncheon at her home, 1012 Acacia last Friday celebrating the birthday of Mrs. William Crocker. Following the luncheon and gift presentation, bridge was played. Other guests were Mrs. Delbert Thomsen and Mrs. Wayne Norman.

YOUR PROBLEMS by Ann Landers

"This Is My Record . . ."

Dear Ann Landers: My husband just left for work yelling, "No woman can be such a lousy money-manager. You must be keeping a man on the side!"

I've been married to this sour puss for 20 years. After three years of his handling the money I had to go to work and pull us out of the hole. This is my record since he turned the money over to me:

We now own two cars, our house, a boat, color TV, good furniture and we have no bills. We have sent his mother \$35 a month for the past ten years. Our two children take music lessons and have good clothes, bikes, camera equipment, and everything they need.

When we married he was making \$5,000 a year. Now he makes \$12,500 but remember the cost of everything has gone up. Will you please print your opinion of my record?—UNAPPRECIATED

Dear Unappreciated: Cheers! You should be Secretary of The Treasury!

Dear Ann Landers: I met a boy at a summer resort last July. He is 20 and I'm 17. I never fell so hard and so fast for anyone in all my life. We met late in the season and had only a few dates before he had to leave.

Several days ago I was passing through the city where he lives and I phoned to say hello. He was out but his mother suggested I drop him a line. I started my letter "Dear Jim" and closed with "Love, Sue." My letter was friendly but not mushy.

His reply came yesterday and it made me feel like a fool. He started his letter "Hi" and closed with "Buenos Dias."

I want to write to him again but I don't know what to do about a beginning and an end. Can you help me?—BELITTLED

Dear Belittled: "Dear Jim" is still a good beginning. It's the conventional way to start a letter—and even bill collectors start this way. It doesn't

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Vecinas Dances In Holiday Wonderland

Palos Verdes Country Club became a veritable winter wonderland last Friday evening as Las Vecinas Woman's club entertained at its annual Christmas dinner dance. Mrs. Donald Meyer, social chairman, was in charge of the festive event.

Mrs. Frank Carroll headed the decorations committee. The old fashioned winter wonderland was the theme carried out by an eight-foot snow man made of sprayed and flocked tumbledweeds. Other novel decorative ideas further enhanced the ballroom.

Les Troniers and his orchestra furnished music for dancing which began at 9 p.m. and continued until 1:30 a.m.

Committee members of the social event which opened the holiday season were Mmes. Frank Carroll, chairman, Mmes. Keith Jensen, Quenton Johnson, Robert Hoag, Ross Potts, Dick White and A. C. Werdes.

Spend Christmas In The Islands

Col. and Mrs. Sherman E. Ellis and daughters, Linda and Diane, Col. and Mrs. Pete Peterson and children, and Col. and Mrs. Sidney Greene and children, all of the Hollywood Riviera, will leave by ship the latter part of this week for Hawaii to spend the Christmas holidays. They expect to return to the mainland on Dec. 28.

Holiday Affair

Members of the Hillside teaching staff and the PTA executive board met Dec. 8 at the Jump'n Jack restaurant for a holiday luncheon.

Attending were John Strom, principal, Mrs. H. Russel Hanger, Robert Miller and Dick Sylvester of the faculty. Also, Mmes. Herbert McCoy, John Malcolm, T. J. Caspo, Guy Gates, Roy Nilsson, Fred Field, Al Hudson and Ralph Palmer.

Annual Yule Show Dec. 23

Three Arts Dance Studio located at 2252 W. Carson St. in Torrance will present Dance Workshop on Friday evening Dec. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the studio.

The program will consist of clever character, ballet, tap and modern jazz dance numbers presented by the students. For the past 17 years the Three Arts Dance studio has presented its students in an annual Christmas show and various spring shows.

These Christmas and spring Dance workshops are helpful to the student's dance education and develops memory, grace, poise and character of the student.

The 1961 winter term starts on Tuesday, Jan. 3.



BRING HAPPINESS TO CHILDREN . . . Members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Torrance Memorial Hospital met Tuesday to make "Pinkies", the puppets so dear to hospitalized children. Shown making the puppets are from left, Mmes. Henry Heinlein, president of the auxiliary; John Bruno, Pinkie chairman; William Crocker and George Post, members. The Pinkie project is financed by the auxiliary with its benefit fashion show each fall.

Club Hostess

Mrs. R. S. Sleeth was hostess to her club last Thursday evening at her home, 1616 Post Ave.

The hostess served a dessert and in the bridge games following, high score was held by Mrs. Dean Sears and second by Mrs. Alma Smith.

Guests were Mmes. Robert Lewellen, Piu Whyte, D. A. Murphy, Dean Sears, Alma Smith, H. C. Barrington and J. B. Scotton.

The club's Christmas party will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Alma Smith, 1614 Amapola.

Garden Club

The monthly meeting of the Greenthumbers Garden Club was held at the home of Mrs. Cora Dunson, with President Mrs. Joseph Leger presiding.

A demonstration on decorating Christmas candles was given. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Those present were Mrs. George Horton, John Klug, William Junge, Joseph Leger, Louis Wilhelm, James Buchanan, James Hailey, Josephine Fitzgerald and Mrs. Dunson.



SANTA GIVES THE ORDERS . . . This group of Santa helpers, members of the Las Fiestadores board, listen intently as Santa gives directions for the club's annual dance. Santa chose La Venta Inn for the party Friday evening. Les Troniers and his orchestra will play. A Happy Hour will be held from 8:30 until 9:30 when dancing will begin. Taking orders from Santa to make this an outstanding event, are from left, standing, Helen Morton, Earl Clayton, Rod Norris, Mickey Rugraff, Ralph Rugraff and Bob Morton. Seated, from left, Grace Posner, Penny Norris, Jean Clayton and Al Posner.