



FOR THE PREXY . . . Mrs. Charles Bennett models one of the new spring costume suits for Mrs. Roy Apsey, president of the Torrance Woman's club, at the joint club fashion show held at the new Port o Call restaurant.



A STUNNING COSTUME . . . Mrs. Joseph Boylan, member of the Torrance Junior Woman's club, models this simple sheath costume for the several hundred members and guests at Saturday's show.



FROM TIP TO TOES . . . Mrs. Sid Gans, member of the Torrance Woman's club, gives her audience a good look at a complete spring costume. The coat ensemble is high fashion on this year's spring fashion parade.

Color, Fabrics Spotlighted

Spring's Fabulous New Fashions Paraded at Clubs' Luncheon

"An outstanding success" was the verdict of all present at the Color and Candlelight Fashion Show and Luncheon sponsored by the Torrance Woman's Club and the Torrance Junior Woman's Club, Marina District, CFWC, held at the Ports O' Call, Berth 76, San Pedro. Mrs. Roy Apsey, senior president, and Mrs. Lee Clotworthy, junior president, credited the Fashion Show chairmen, Mmes. A. Z. England, B. R. McRee, Don C. Carlson and F. M. Shaw, with bringing the show to fruition.

The gala affair, one of the first benefit fashion shows held in the new restaurant, started with a social hour, followed by lunch and then the fashion display with garments from shops in Palos Verdes and Torrance. A lively commentary was given by Mrs. Pat Speer who introduced each model and described each costume. Background music was furnished by the talented Mrs. Paul Bennett, who played the piano. The display started with sports wear and proceeded to general and afternoon wear. Next came after-five fashions and evening dress. Great emphasis was placed on dramatic colors and unusual fabrics. A unique costume for sports wear was a Mexican serape and capri pants in brilliant colors. Great interest was also shown in a soft, Capeskin leather coat in three-quarter length, Chesterfield style and a leather hat. Fash-

W. H. Specks Leave For South America Today

Mr. and Mrs. William Speck, who will leave tonight for New York where they will spend several days before going to Sao Paulo, Brazil to spend six months, were honored at a reception given by their daughters, Mmes. Jack Dean, William Kesselman, Kenneth Kinnaman and Donald Hein Sunday afternoon.

The Jack Dean home at 22034 Ladeene Ave., was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. Arrangements consisted of yellow stock, Dutch iris and jonquils. Yellow tapers flanked the cake centerpiece which was ornamented with a map of the couple's trip from Torrance to New York and Brazil.

Arriving to bid the couple farewell were Messrs. and Mmes. Walker Whittington, J. S. McMullen, Jack Stock, M. M. Schwab, Paul Burnam, Douglas Baldwin, Steve Heffer, Woodrow McFather, Lawrence Gettschier, Gilbert Ozinni, Don Anderson, Elmo Reese, Sy Hogan, Russell Swigart, Harry Midkiff, Carl Dean, John Agapito, Harry Hazelwood.

Others were Mmes. Russell Paxton, Victor Benard, Kenneth Clutter, Harlan McCool, Maud Obarr, Lois Balsley, Alice Palmer, and Messrs. Joe Wilcox and Ray Comereski. Mr. and Mrs. Speck plan to



MR., MRS. W. H. SPECK Check Travel Route

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Irish Party Planned By Madrecitas

Members of Las Madrecitas will honor their husbands at a St. Patrick's party to be held on March 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Eichler in the Hollywood Riviera. Shamrocks, streamers, and green, bobbing balloons will lend a bright informality to the scene, while a more formal note will appear in the table decorations of topiary trees and green carnations. Of course, all attire will be green, green, green.

Scholarship Fund

Their annual Shamrock Ball will be staged by the South Bay Pharmaceutical Assn. and Women's Auxiliary on Saturday March 18, at the Fox Hills Country Club in Culver City.

The social hour will begin at 7 p.m. followed by a prime rib dinner at 8:30 p.m. Dancing to Keith Williams and his orchestra will be enjoyed by guests and members from 9:30 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Mrs. Lee Solomon, president of the Women's Auxiliary, announces that all proceeds from this event will go to the Pharmacy Scholarship Fund, which assists worthy pharmacy students in completing their necessary education. Two students are being sponsored at this time.

Former Residents Here for Visit

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mitchell of Youngstown, Ariz., former residents of Torrance, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Olsen in Wilmington.

During the week, they enjoyed renewing old acquaintances in Torrance.

On Monday, Mrs. Olsen entertained at a luncheon honoring Mrs. Mitchell.

Attending were Mrs. E. A. Miles, Mrs. Charles Woodcock and Mrs. Nell Smith, all of Torrance, Mrs. R. E. Cooper of Los Angeles and Mrs. Charles H. Olsen of El Segundo.

Francis-Shirley Names Are Linked in Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Scott Shirley are now at home in Tucson, Ariz., following a two weeks honeymoon in Palm Springs. The couple were married Feb. 11 at the Wayfarer's Chapel in Portuguese Bend. Mrs. Shirley is the former Rosemary Francis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Francis, 18513 Regina Ave., Torrance.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shirley, 241 Via Los Miradores.

The Rev. Kenneth Knox officiated at the candlelight wedding ceremony. A background of organ music was played by Dr. Magen.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white brocade fashioned on princess lines and detailed with a sweetheart neckline and three quarter sleeves. A pearl crown secured the illusion bridal veil and her bouquet was of white gardenias, roses and lilies of the valley. Bridal attendants were Mrs.



MRS. BRENT SCOTT SHIRLEY . . . At Home in Tucson (Pat Willson Photo)



GALA ST. PAT AFFAIR . . . Shamrocks of all sizes will bedeck the Fox Hills Country Club on Saturday evening, March 18, when the South Bay Pharmaceutical Assn. and Auxiliary stage their annual "Shamrock Ball." Making Shamrocks are, from left, Mmes. Derck Engelbert, James Kamada, Charles Bogolea and Ralph Rector. Proceeds will go to the Pharmacy Scholarship Fund.

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

"Your Husband Has Mean Streak . . ."

Dear Ann Landers: This problem involves a father and his nine-year-old son.

Bobby is an orderly boy and very seldom leaves his bike or sports equipment lying about. His father is a demon for perfection and the child has learned to be almost perfect in self-defense.

Our home is not large, so we have a toy box in the garage. The other day Bobby put a couple of his toy trucks in the opposite corner of the garage, not in the toy box. His father came home, saw the trucks in the wrong place and broke them to pieces. Then he brought the broken trucks into the house and said "this is what happens to toys that aren't put away properly."

The boy was heart-broken and my husband would not let me console him when he cried. What do you think of this?—A MOTHER

Dear Mother: Children should be taught to be orderly but your husband has a mean streak a mile long and a yard wide. He could have accomplished the same thing

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