

'Soft Focus on Fashion' Show At May Co. Monday



COSTUME SUIT . . . One of the creations to be shown at the May Co. South Bay show on Monday March 12 is this sky blue silk and worsted costume with empire styled dress, softly tailored jacket. Beautiful by day or night. This is a Vogue Paris Original 1133 by Lanvin Castillo. Costume of American Silk Mills.

The May Co. South Bay will present their spring and summer Vogue Fashion Fabric Show, "Soft Focus on Fashion" on Monday, March 12, at 2 p.m. and again at 7:30 p.m. in the sportswear department on the second floor. Thirty sparkling and fresh ensembles will be shown, culminating with a light-as-air pastel bridal party.

Shapes of fashions are more feminine than in many a year, with a new emphasis on ruffles and flounces. The "little nothing dress" is still with us to some degree, but the new trend is toward an out-and-out "young" mood. It's time to enjoy our feminine prerogative of wearing flounces, bows, ruffles and frills; and in fabrics ranging from crisp, white pique to dreamy-soft art nouveau chiffons.

One such ensemble is a dress with gentle, kimono styling. A wrapped sheath with away-from-neck collar and side closing at waistline. A soft ruffle follows the wrapped bodice line from the waistband around the neck. This delectable creation is in a gossamer light chiffon print.

Coats are soft, but impeccably tailored on "contour" lines. None hug the body, yet all follow body lines in sculptured, princess-empire manner. A coat especially new is in black pique. Beneath the coat, a fitted sheath of black and white print. Much emphasis is put on sparkling black and white combinations this spring.

For the wedding a frothy bridal party in ruffles . . . demure bridesmaid dresses with fitted bodice, full skirt and tiny ruffles at hem and sleeves, delectable in pink and mint organdy eyelet. Followed by a regal beauty bride's dress with sweeping fullness and rustling train, all of white organdy eyelet.

All fabrics and patterns shown will be available at the May Co. "Soft Focus on Fashion" will be commented by Mrs. Pauline DeLano, Vogue fashion representative.

JoKay Louvier Selected Junior Club 'Miss Teen'



JOKAY LOUVIER
"Teen-Age Miss"

Winner of the fourth annual "Teen-aged Miss" contest sponsored by the Torrance Junior Woman's club, Marina District, CFWC, is Miss Jo Kay Louvier, 22606 Evalyn, Torrance.

Miss Louvier was introduced by Mrs. Kenneth Boulter, youth chairman, at the February business meeting held at the clubhouse. She was presented with a sterling silver engraved bracelet, and gifts from local merchants. Linda Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kennedy, second place winner, was also given an engraved charm bracelet and gifts from local merchants.

Miss Louvier is a 3.85 student at South High School. She has a total of nine years in scouting. As an intermediate scout she received 37 badges, and curved bar. As a Mariner scout she has seven ranks, and her hospital Aid Bar, volunteering 87 hours of service at Riviera Hospital.

Musical activities include playing piano and clarinet. She marched in the Torrance Honor Band in the 1961 Rose Parade and is a five year member of the Torrance Youth Band. She is a member of the Order of Athena, an honorary service club at South High School, member of California Scholarship Federation. She is interested in sewing, reading, cooking, swimming, golf and tennis. Upon graduation from

high school she plans to go to UCLA and work for her bachelor of science degree in nursing.

Miss Kennedy is a senior mathematics major at North High School. She plans to attend college and be a high school mathematics teacher. She has been active in scouting and other organizations. She too, has an A-scholastic average.



BIRTHDAY AFFAIR . . . Women's Guild of Seaside Community church will hold its annual birthday luncheon Tuesday at noon at the church. Talking over plans for the event are Mrs. L. M. Savage and Mrs. D. L. Fisher, reservations chairmen.

George Todt Will Speak At Institute's Forum

George Todt, an informed and dynamic speaker, will address the American Institute of Banking, Harbor Chapter, on Wednesday, March 7, at 7 p.m., at the Coast Bank, 5354 E. 2nd St., Belmont Shore. His topic will be "The Challenge of Free Enterprise."

such organizations as the VFW and Sons of the American Revolution, and has had his thought-provoking column "George Todt's Opinion" published in the United States Congressional Record 125 times.

From his college studies and his World War II Infantry combat experience, as well as three years spent in the Army of Occupation in Germany and Austria, Todt has learned first hand of the aims and methods of accomplishing these aims used by the Communists in their present-day campaign against the whole world, and particularly the United States.

Club Hostess

Mrs. Earl Miles entertained the Wednesday afternoon Bridge club at her home at 2303 Andree Ave.

The hostess served a luncheon, which was followed by an afternoon of bridge. High score was held by Mrs. Ruth Richards and second by Mrs. Ellis Owen.

Mrs. Miles' guests were Mmes. C. E. Cook, Lillian Dunhouse, Ruth Richards, J. B. Scotton, Chris Jones, W. I. Laughon and Lolly Aherns.

Mrs. Owen will be the club's next hostess.

Fun and Fund Club to Meet

Fun and Fund club of Torrance Rebekah lodge 347, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Avenue, March 7 at 11 a.m. for a regular meeting and luncheon. Glada Yost, president, is in charge.

Regular meeting of the lodge will be held at 8 p.m. on March 14. Stelma Norris, noble grand, will preside and Anna May IsBell is chairman.

WSCS Meets On March 8

WSCS of the Torrance First Methodist Church will meet Thursday, March 8, at 9:40 for a prayer session in the chapel with Mrs. C. P. Olson in charge.

Mrs. Russell Paxton will conduct the business meeting at 10 a.m. The devotional will be given by Mrs. Sara Hogue and Mrs. William Parsons will be in charge of the program, "Women Around the World."

Mrs. Maud Obarr will report on the World Federation of Methodist Women and members will give a review of the work done by the Methodist Women during the past 40 years.

Mrs. Clarence Spier of the Wayside Methodist Church of Lomita will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Spier, district secretary of spiritual life, will talk on "What is a Christian Home?"



MARLENE WOLLER
... Future Bride

Select June Nuptial Day

Mrs. Marion Cox, 1306 Madrid, is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Marlene Kay Woller, to Jimmie Dale Sentlinger, son of Mrs. Grace Sentlinger of Harrison, Arkansas, formerly of Webb City, Mo.

June 17 has been set as the wedding date.

The bride-elect, daughter of Mr. Henry Woller of Culver City, is a senior at Torrance High school.

Her fiancé is serving with the United States Navy stationed in Long Beach.

Dianas Plan Family Night

Mrs. Paul Taylor, president of the Redondo Beach Dianas, California Federation of Woman's Clubs, Junior Membership, Marina District, called the February board meeting to order this week, at the home of Mrs. Art Callen, Torrance. Mrs. Taylor introduced co-ordinator Mrs. Dan Beard, evening division.

A family night is being planned for March 19 at the clubhouse. A buffet dinner, entertainment, and the children's chorus will highlight the evening.

Philanthropy chairman, Mrs. Ted Kerwin, announced that a thank you letter was received from the Garden Valley Assn. for mentally retarded children, expressing thanks for the "walker" that was presented to them for Christmas. Mrs. Kerwin also reported on the Valentine party held at the school.



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Church Guild Will Mark Birthday With Luncheon

A "Travel" theme will prevail to put guests in a holiday mood when the Women's Guild of Seaside Community Church holds its annual birthday luncheon Tuesday, March 6, at twelve noon, at the church, 230th and Ocean

Avenue. This event commemorates the birthday of the Guild, and is the one event during the year for which the women do not do all the work.

Co-chairman for the event are Mmes. Dean Fisher and Levi Savage, who may be contacted for reservations.

A salad luncheon is planned, and admission is by reservation only, deadline for which is Sunday, March 4.

The program will feature a special travel skit and selections by the "Sea Notes," a trio composed of Mmes. Clyde Martin, Richard Evans, and Robin Markham.

B'nai B'rith Will Elect New Officers

Presentation of a slate of candidates for office will be the first order of business when Hollypark B'nai B'rith women holds its next regular meeting Monday, March 5, at the home of Mrs. Arthur D. Vanetek of Torrance. Starting at 8:30 p.m., the meeting will also hear reports from Mrs. Beryl Averbrook, chairman of the chapter's installation dinner-dance April 14, and Mrs. Herbert Schwartz, in charge of the group's forthcoming ad book.

Recently, in conjunction with Harbor Council B'nai B'rith, Hollypark chapter sponsored a brotherhood and race relations program for grade school children, providing an opportunity for children of different racial, national and ethnic backgrounds to find common meeting grounds. Mrs. Stanley Mittelman of Torrance reports that the program, combining films and discussion groups, was warmly received and proved highly successful.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Chalmers Strayer was hostess to her club last Wednesday evening at a dessert bridge.

At the final count in the bridge games, high score was held by Mrs. Strayer, second by Mrs. Jack Rice and third by Mrs. Eugene Lenk.

Mrs. Strayer's guests were Mmes. William Starr, Jack Dean, Howard Walker, William Steinberg, George Booth, Jack Rice and Eugene Lenk. Mrs. Walker will be the club's next hostess.

Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Marcinko of Torrance chose the Three Lions Restaurant as the site of their 14th wedding anniversary celebration.



GRANDMOTHER HONORED . . . Sepulveda presented its Honorary Life Membership to Mrs. Irene Mathwig, 79, who has worked with the PTA for the past 40 years. Mrs. Mathwig raised three children of her own and an orphaned nephew and niece. Pictured here at the presentation are from left, Mrs. Mathwig, William Clary, principal at Sepulveda, Mrs. Robert Saunders, PTA president and Mr. Saunders, chairman. Mrs. Saunders presented the recipient with a bouquet of red roses.

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