



IN QUEENLY ROLE . . . Homecoming Queen at Torrance High School and Honored Queen of Bethel 50, Job's Daughters, are the two royal titles bestowed on Miss Carole Woodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woodman, 1333 Engracia Ave. Presiding at Homecoming Festivities Friday evening, when Torrance High played

Palos Verdes High, was this royal court, from left, Sharyn Foster, Georgann Gillett, Miss Woodman, Carol Waggoner and Gail Hyde. Queen Carole will be installed as Job's Daughters Honored Queen on Nov. 28. Her four Homecoming Princesses are all members of the Torrance Bethel Job's Daughters.



STEPHANIE SCHENK . . . Accepts Ring

June Date Chosen By Local Pair

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Schenk, 4304 Highgrove Ave., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stephanie Louise, to Steven Jerome Brefka. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Brefka, 926 S. Pacific Coast Hwy., Redondo Beach, are parents of the future bridegroom. The engagement was first revealed at an after-dinner gathering at the Brefka home recently. The bride-elect was graduated from South High school, class of 1960. She attended the University of California at Santa Barbara and is service representative for the Pacific Telephone Co. in San Pedro. Her fiancé is a graduate of Redondo Union High school and El Camino college. Mr. Brefka is customer engineer for IBM Electric Typewriter Division, Long Beach. A wedding in late June 1963 is being planned.



AMID FLORAL DECOR . . . Members of the Harbor Hospital Auxiliary are busy making floral arrangements for their fashion show to be held Tuesday at the Plush Horse Restaurant. Choosing colors, blossoms and containers are, from left, Mmes. James Tillotson, model; H. R. Hoppe, vice-president; Charles Grider, co-chairman and Robert March, luncheon chairman. Tickets are available from any auxiliary member or may be secured by calling the Volunteers Office at the hospital.

YOUR PROBLEMS
by Ann Landers

'Seymour Has Black Cord Fever . . . No Cure'

Dear Ann Landers: Please don't pass over this problem as trivial. I need help. My boy friend and I are both 17. The trouble centers around the telephone. Seymour calls me every afternoon after school. We talk about an hour. Sometimes I want to get off because I have other things to do or someone else wants the phone, but Seymour insists on staying on. When I ask him to please hang off he becomes annoyed and keeps right on talking. The other evening I lost my temper when he refused to say goodbye. I shrieked, "If you have nothing to say why do you insist on tying up the line for hours?" He hung up on me. Five minutes later he called back and I hung up on HIM. Seymour is a perfect gentleman in every other way. How can I solve this telephone problem?—BUSY SIGNAL.

Dear Signal: Seymour has black cord fever, for which there is no known cure. If I were you I'd say, "Look, Seymour, from now on you've got a 15-minute telephone deadline. If you can't meet it, don't call." Put an alarm clock by the telephone and set it. When the bell goes off—you go, too.

Dear Ann Landers: I am 34, no kid, and at the moment I am torn to pieces trying to decide between my parents and the man I love. When I was 18 I made a bad marriage. I stuck it out for ten years for the children's sake—hoping I could make it work, but it was impossible.

I've been divorced almost five years and I want to remarry. The man is 38 and wonderful. He gets along well with my children and is eager to be a father to them. But my parents will not even meet the man because he has lived half of his life in another country. They say no one from that country can be any good. I hate to go against my parents as they have been very generous to me and the children. I don't know what I would have done without them. Is there any word of help you can give me?—TORN BETWEEN.

Dear Torn Between: Unless your parents can come up with a better reason, my

Lady Lions Plan Annual Yule Party

The date, Dec. 15, was set by members of the Lioness Club of Torrance for their annual Christmas party. Plans for the event were discussed at the Lioness meeting held Tuesday, Nov. 6, at the home of Mrs. W. Keberlein, 16908 Atkinson Ave. In the absence of Mrs. C. Clark, president, Mrs. C. Powell presided. Appointed on the Christmas party committee were Mmes. J. Ritchie, Fred Boren, A. B. McTee, Paul Diamond and Sam Van Wagner. Mrs. Thomas Burchfield, a new member, was welcomed. The monthly social meeting will be held Nov. 20 at the home of Mrs. William King, 25903 Matfield Dr.

Will Arrive From Europe

Miss Judy Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen, 20909 LaSalle, will arrive by plane on Nov. 21 from a two months visit with her sister, Diane Allen, in Regensburg, Germany. Diane is teaching in Regensburg and plans to spend next summer here with her parents. A Torrance reunion was enjoyed recently in Regensburg when Kathy and Adele Curtis, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis, who were on a world tour, joined the Allen daughters in Germany. The four local girls spent two days together sightseeing. Adele Curtis flew home last week and Kathy, who sailed from La Havre, France, Nov. 3, is expected next week.

Los Vegas Guests
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, 2724 Arlington Ave., entertained as weekend guests, Mrs. Leslie Goebel and Mrs. Robbie Robinson of Las Vegas.

Graphologist Will Be Guest Speaker at Victor Club Meet

Victor Woman's club has planned an interesting program for its meeting on Nov. 13 at the Victor Elementary School auditorium. Guest for the meeting will be the Rev. Joan L. Mallan, minister of the Chirothesian Church, who has studied extensively throughout Europe and holds many degrees. She has studied the art of Graphology for the past 30 years and conducts classes in the art. Members will have an opportunity to find the answers to such questions as "what planet guides your life," "who were you in your past life," and "why you have cer-



MARY ANN LA ROSA . . . To Wed Feb. 2

Announce Daughter's Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Peter La Rosa, 4240 W. 178th St., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Marvin Bottrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bottrell, 3219 W. 188th St., Torrance.

The wedding will be solemnized at a nuptial mass and ceremony on Feb. 2 at the St. Catherine Laboure Catholic Church. The future bride was graduated from North High school in 1962. Her fiancé, a 1961 North High graduate, is employed by an oil company. He is also a member of the National Guard Reserve, 40th Armored Division, Manhattan Beach.

Local Artist Wins Award

Marian Cummings of Torrance has won a first award for her watercolor "San Pedro Harbor" in the current ninth annual exhibit of Las Artistas, now being shown in the Duncan Vail Gallery, 637 S. Olive St., Los Angeles. The exhibit continues through Nov. 30.

W. H. Sloans Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sloan, 5030 Sharynne Lane, Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Saralee, to Gary Donahue of San Francisco.

The announcement was made from the pulpit of Temple Menorah by Rabbi Henri Front after the regular Friday evening service. An Oneg Shabbath, which is a reception, was held for over 200 guests after the services. The bride-elect received a shower of engagement gifts from many of her friends. The future bride was graduated from Torrance High school in 1957 and attended El Camino College before moving to San Francisco where she is working for the Bank of America.

Her fiancé is a graduate of the San Francisco schools and is attending Heel College of Electronics. He is also employed by the Greyhound Bus Lines.

An early spring wedding is being planned.

At Conference

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull, 1730 Hickory Ave., have returned from Wilmington, Delaware, where Dr. Hull attended a conference of school superintendents from cities of 100,000 to 300,000. The Hulls also visited Dr. Hull's brother in New York City. They were away for a week.

Weekend Trip

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To Furnish Rooms in New Hospital
Hospital Auxiliary Fashion Benefit Slated For Tuesday

Floral arrangements in the autumn colors will lend an appropriate atmosphere for the luncheon and fashion show to be staged by the Harbor General Hospital Volunteers Auxiliary next Tuesday, Nov. 13, at 12 noon. Mrs. Robert March is serving as general chairman and Mrs. Charles Grider, co-chairman. The parade of elegant new fashions will emphasize the holiday season ahead and will be furnished by a Redondo Beach fashion shop. Members modeling will be Mmes. Alvin Silva, Gordon Gray, Ronald Rudy, George Billips and Joseph Jay. Greeting the guests and serving as hostesses will be Mrs. Emil Buyny and Mrs. Ted Whisand.

The luncheon and fashion show is the major money making event of the year for the auxiliary. Proceeds will be used to assist the Auxiliary in carrying on its projects for the past and to furnish five day-rooms in the new hospital nearing completion.

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Banning Alum Event Nov. 24

Wilmington Junior Woman's Club announces the 10th Annual Banning Alumni Dance will be held Saturday, Nov. 24, in the Lafayette Hotel International Ballroom, Long Beach. The dance, sponsored by the Juniors, will begin at 9 p.m., with music provided by Joe Kimper. Tickets may be obtained by calling Junior members, Mrs. Charles Kolley, project chairman, or Mrs. Jerry Trotter. Tickets will be available at the door. All Alumni members and guests are invited to attend.

OES Installation Is Scheduled on Nov. 28

Torrance Chapter 380, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its 41st installation of officers on Thursday evening, Nov. 29, at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave. Mrs. Frieda Shaffer will be endowed with her duties of worthy matron and Estill Clere will become the worthy patron. Other officers to be installed are Harriette F. Warnick, associate matron; Allan Butler, associate patron; Lois Lougee, conductress; Ruth Hardin, associate conductress; Vivian Cook, secretary. Others are Marguerite Morgan, treasurer; Ruby Clere, chaplain; Una Rusk, marshal, and Juliette Johnson, organist. Star points to be installed are Roberta Butler, Betty Engelbrecht, Mildred Lugar, June Huelson and Emma Ratzlaff. Donna Kerns will be the warder and Fred Bever will be the sentinel. Hostesses for the evening will be Ruth Stirling, Margaret Franks, Grace Dobler, Addell Abbott, Fay Mullins, Grace Ho, Ruth Axthelm, Harriette B. Warnick, Ricka Johnson and Ethel Pitts. Others participating will be Ed Morgan, flag bearer; John Pennington, prompter; Mary McDonald, electrician; Alice Ruppel and Mona Brizendine, Bible bearers. Carol Pennington is retiring worthy matron and John Pennington, retiring worthy patron.

League Begins Study Of Regional Planning

Regional planning will be highlighted in a second-year study on the state's role in local government which will get underway at five unit meetings of the Provisional League of Women Voters of Torrance this week. Topic of the first in a series of discussions to be conducted will be "Home Rule—And What It Means to You," according to Mrs. Donald Brink, state item chairman. "Since California will soon become the most populous and most highly urbanized state in the nation," Mrs. Brink stated, "the study will review the problems which extend beyond the local boundaries in our intensely urbanized areas." Areas of study will include education, transportation, recreation, and land use. Assisting Mrs. Brink in presentations will be Mmes. J. E. Van Oppen, T. B. Concanon and Gene Mabry. Meetings will take place as follows: 9:45 a.m. Monday at 416 Via Linda Vista; 7:45 p.m. Monday at 2911 W. 168th St.; 7:45 p.m. Tuesday at 20545 Vaccaro; 9:45 Wednesday at 2926 Sonoma St., and 7:45 p.m. Thursday at 5313 Highgrove St. Hostesses will be Mmes. Frank Adair, Burton Peters, James Laird, Burton E. Belzer and Lelan Livingston.



TICKETS GO ON SALE . . . These members of the Junior Woman's Club, from left, Mmes. Robert Vroman, John Howland and Richard Rankin, discuss ticket distribution for the club's Handicraft Fair and Fashion Show to be held Nov. 28 at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia. The members are surrounded with an array of handmade items which the Juniors will offer for sale. Many of the items are suitable for gift-giving during the coming holiday season.