



RED FEATHER AWARD: Leaders of Torrance Community Chest campaign, (l. to r.) Mrs. Lyle O'Hara, residential chairman, looks on as Mrs. Robert Allred, first division chairman in the Harbor Area completing her division of volunteers through neighborhood worker level, accepts a Red Feather quill award from Mrs. Edward Schwartz. —Phillips Photo

JANE GATELY'S BETROTHAL TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Gately have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jane Frances, to James Leslie McGehee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGehee of Willow Springs, Missouri. The couple is planning a November date for their wedding at Nativity Church.

Miss Gately is a 1953 graduate of Narbonne High School where she was a member of the Glee Club and active in G.A.A. Jane is also past president of Girl Scout Troop No. 610 of Torrance. At present she is employed by the S & L Manufacturing Company on 174th street.

Her fiance attended school in Holland, Missouri.



TROTH TOLD . . . Wedding plans for November at Nativity Church are being made by Miss Jane Frances Gately who is bride-elect of James Leslie McGehee.

186th Street P-TA Meet Sets Budget

A new record in attendance was set at the first association meeting of the 186th Street School P-TA recently with 116 parents and teachers present. At that time a budget of \$594.75 was adopted by the association. It was also announced that 10% of all money making projects and membership will be sent to the 10th District for child welfare.

Mrs. Mildred Fletcher, principal, introduced the teachers, and Mrs. A. E. Pond, P-TA president, introduced the executive board to members of the association. A "Dragnet" skit was presented by Mmes. J. T. Evans, Jr., W. S. Stewart, Richard Brown, James McMillen, Raymond Abernathy, Guy De Montigny, Philip Donaher, Robert Parmer, and Miss Evelyn Buckley.

10th District achievement evaluation chairman, Mrs. Samuel Dow, was a guest.

FETE COUPLE ON SILVER JUBILEE

A three-tiered wedding cake adorned with silver bells on its crest, and silver roses surrounding the tiers, was a symbolic confection to commemorate twenty-five years of marriage for Mr. and Mrs. George E. Baer, of 1308 Ceta avenue.

The Baers were surprised last Sunday afternoon when a tea was given in their honor by their children Marilyn Lee Baer, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Davis, their granddaughter, Wesley Lee Davis, and their grandson, George E. Davis.

Other family members present were Mr. and Mrs. Colonel C. Kenney of San Bernardino, parents of Mrs. Baer; her brother and his family, the Elmer C. Kenneys; her sisters and their families, the Albert Lunds of Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Christian and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Christian of Torrance.

More family members were Mrs. Baer's sisters and their families the James G. Davises and the Gene Gatlins, and Mr. Baer's brother Rudy Baer of Gardena and his family.

Friends attending were the Lawrence Massas of Los Angeles, the Hillmore Finns of Glendale, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Littler of Temple City, the Cliff Evanses of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heintz, and Mrs. Ivan Kettering of Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ebbinghouse of 4005 Via Solano, Palos Verdes East, announce the birth of a son, John Price, weighing 10 pounds and 3 ounces.

OES To Initiate And Elect Tonite

Election of officers for 1955 and initiation will highlight the meeting tonight of Torrance Chapter No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, in the Masonic Temple, 1321 1/2 Sartori avenue. Vincent Viellenave, Worthy Patron, will call the meeting to order promptly at 8 p.m., and the Worthy Matron, Florence

Viellenave, will preside. Esther Swigart is chairman for the social hour which follows. All members of the chapter and visiting members of the order are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Straves of 105 N. Juanaita, announce the birth of a son, weighing 9 pounds and 6 ounces.

Flies Southward

Members of the Arts and Crafts Club and friends of the club president, Mary Ulmer, gathered at International Airport recently to bid Mary bon voyage as she left via Compania Mexicana de Aviacion for a month of study at the Institute de San Miguel, Allende, Mexico.

Fur Touches Play Important Fall Role

Don't throw away any small fur pieces you may have, even though they're a bit "raggy" at the edges. If they still possess enough good fur to make tiny collars, cuffs, little fur scarfs, tie on bows, and other fur touches, even flowers, they'll make an otherwise plain outfit quite interesting . . . as well as NEW!

Detachable fur collars are still newsworthy. Many high fashion suits feature fur cor-sages . . . tailored woools are made interesting with little fur bows at pockets or neckline . . . sweaters can be worn to dinner with a narrow band of fur at the cuff.

You need not yearn for mink . . . furriers are playing down mink this season, although it is of course, always good. Assorted colors of fox, seal, dyed-like seal, muskrat, and many other novelties are fashion news this year.

Fox Fur Again Popular
After several years of absence the long-guard-haired furs such as fox and wolf are enjoying unprecedented popularity. Appearing on the Fall scene are many imaginative variations in these furs . . . a lot of Norwegian blue fox . . . shawl colors of black or white fox . . . huge cuffs or fur that are sometimes even dyed pastel shades to match or contrast a jacket or coat.

For women who like a lot of change for their fashion dollars, fur separates, like separates in sportswear, will be good investment. Many of these costume-sparking pieces are in the popular price bracket, and for a small portion of the fashion budget, a style-wise woman can add a great look of luxury to her wardrobe.

Paper Drive At Walteria Set Today
The Walteria P-TA will hold its first paper drive of the school year today, October 7. The drive is on from 7:30 a.m. until 6 p.m., and anyone wishing large loads picked up may call the school.

Also scheduled today is the regular monthly board meeting to be held at Walteria School starting at 9:30 a.m. All members are asked to attend.

The membership drive of the Walteria P-TA started October 4, and will continue through the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bobylen, of 1104 Cranbrook Ave., announce the birth of a daughter, Janet Patricia, weighing 7 pounds and 1 1/2 ounces.

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