

# Mrs. A. E. Kruz Elected President of Vecinas



MRS. ALBERT E. KRUZ —Photo by Carrington

## Previously Served As Secretary

Mrs. Albert E. Kruz of Hollywood Riviera was elected president of Las Vecinas Woman's Club at a meeting last Thursday in the Plush Horse Restaurant.

A member of the club for seven years, she served previously as recording secretary. Mrs. Kruz also is a den mother and a member of the board of directors of the Harbor Welfare Council.

She has three children, Andrew, 11, Danny, 10, and Abby, 3.

Taking office with Mrs. Kruz are Mmes. William D. Peterson and Donald L. Meyer, vice presidents; David Halstead, recording secretary; Gerald King, corresponding secretary; and Lee Scott, treasurer.

Also Mmes. Roy A. Menashe, membership chairman; George Vico, philanthropy chairman; John Veltmann, publicity; and Marvin C. Bandoli, ways-and-means chairman.

# Mothers-of-Twins Club to Install New Officers

Installation of newly-elected officers of the South Bay Chapter of Mothers of Twins Club will be held June 20, 7:30 p.m., in the Terrace Room of the Jump 'n' Jack Restaurant.

A turkey dinner will be served. Decor will follow a floral theme featuring gilded birdcages filled with aquadryed carnations.

The invocation will be offered by Mrs. Norven McKean junior past president. Mrs. Dick White, will preside

at the installation ceremonies. A gavel will be presented to the newly-elected president by Mrs. Don Everett.

The group has chosen Mrs. W. R. Campbell as president for the coming year. She is the mother of 8½ year old twins, Neal and Kathy. Other officers to be installed in the candle-light ceremony are Mmes. John Adams and Ralph Gaide, vice presidents; Glenn Smith, treasurer; Kent Milton, recording secretary; and Robert Jackson, corresponding secretary.

# Miss Williams Becomes Bride of Gregory Brown

A double-ring ceremony Sunday in St. Mary's Presbyterian Church, Lomita, united Miss Kathleen Elaine Williams and Gregory Allen Brown. The Rev. Eldon Durham officiated.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Williams, 1637 W. 248th St. Her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown of Long Beach.

The bride was attired in an antique ivory brocade featuring a scoop neckline and wrist-length sleeves. A pearl coronet secured her illusion veil and she carried orchids and lily-of-the-valley.

Mrs. Gene Williams was her sister-in-law's matron of honor. She wore a soft-green silk sheath with matching accessories and carried a bouquet of roses and goldie lock.

The mother of the bride was in a Perrywinkle blue

silk with matching flowered hat and patent leather accessories. The benedick's mother chose a hand-knit beige with pink accessories.

Following a reception at the home of the bride's parents, the couple left on a wedding trip to Lake Arrowhead.

The new Mrs. Brown was graduated from Narbonne High School and Long Beach City College. She is employed as a medical assistant in Long Beach.

Her husband attended Long Beach Polytechnic High School and Long Beach City. He is with American Electronics in Los Angeles.

The newlyweds will live at 1015 Applegate St., Long Beach.



MRS. GREGORY ALLEN BROWN honeymooning at Lake Arrowhead —Photo by Stanfords

# Past Night Held by Eastern Star

Torrance Chapter 380, Order of the Eastern Star, held its junior-past night Thursday evening in the Masonic Temple.

The meeting was called to order by the junior Past Patron John Pennington. Worthy Patron Raymond Lougee were escorted to the East.

Marguerite Morgan was associate matron and Larry Miller was associate patron for the evening.

The flag was posted in the East by Gerald Mitten. Doris Savage, deputy grand matron was escorted to the East, also Marion Cluff, deputy grand chaplain, and Florence Vieljenave, deputy grand matron of 1959.

Others escorted to the East were Carol Billard, Frank Tinney, junior past patrons; and Nellie Falls, Elizabeth Sterling, Henry Ella Tinney, Elizabeth Geordeadis, Violet Ballard, Lydia Snyder, Eva Brown, Lucille Graham, and Ruth Walter, junior past matrons.

Past matrons and past patrons of Torrance Chapter were presented to the East. Susan McDougall was soloist for the evening.

The Deputy Grand Matron Doris Savage, and the 1959 Deputy Grand Matron and 1959 Deputy Grand Chaplain spoke.

Decorations were done by Vivian Cook and Billie Kerber, chairmen for the evening and their committee: Ethyl, Phyllis and Frances Peverly, Helen Carpenter, Ruth Hardin, Fern Mead, Caroline Hedrick, and Dorothy Gillen.

# Melody Music Center Slates Spring Concert

Melody Music Center will hold its spring concert Sunday, starting at 1 p.m. in Torrance Park.

More than 50 musicians, under direction of Slim Edwards will present a program of modern, classical, and western music.

# Women

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# Republican Women to Hear Analysis of Primary Results

G. Harvey Mydland, prominent California Republican, will give an analysis of the results of the primary election when the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women celebrate the organization's 22nd anniversary at a luncheon June 9 at the Fish Shanty, 4020 Pacific Coast Hwy., Walteria.

Mydland has been active in the California GOP since his arrival in the state in 1933. He is president and a char-

ter member of the California Republican Assembly, a past president of the Los Angeles County Republican Assembly, and a member of the executive board of the GOP state central committee.

The South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women has been active since 1938. Margaret Moodie, president emerita and organizer of the club, will light the traditional birthday candle.

Other South Bay women

still active in the organization who are charter members are Electra Anderson, Myrtle Graves, Mrs. A. R. Hickman, Grace Moll, and Maude Withers.

Mrs. Donald Solberg, president, has revealed that plans for a campaign fund raising theater party will be announced at the meeting.

For luncheon reservations, interested persons may contact Bertha Walters at FR 2-2383.



MRS. ROBERT LARRY WOOD on her wedding day —Photo by Seeman

# Susan Swank, R. L. Wood Wed in Evening Service

White gladioli banked the altar for the evening wedding of Miss Susan Swank and Robert Larry Wood, May 18 at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Redondo Beach.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert E. Swank, 2610 Pacific Coast Hwy. The benedick's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Wood, 2642 Brian St.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore full-length white organza gown detailed with tiny sequins. A lace tiara held her veil and she carried a bouquet of stephanotis centered with an orchid.

Miss Cynthia Ann Swank attired in pink chiffon with a nosegay pink carnations, was her sister's maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Vicki Cooper, Sue Rettig, Joyce Templin, and Eurlene Wood. All wore mint green and

carried mint-green carnations.

Mrs. Swank was in a navy-blue sheath with matching coat and white accessories. Mrs. Wood wore beige with orange accessories.

Dennis Harvey was best man. Ron Ciseo, Chuck Fahs, Allen Hodgert, and Dickie Portugal ushered.

The Rev. Paul Cox officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Following the service, the newlyweds welcomed guests to a reception in the church hall.

The new Mrs. Wood is a senior at South High School. Mr. Wood is with the U.S. Army in Boston.

# PTA News

## Talk on Curfew Law Heard at Walteria

Walteria PTA heard Lt. Gus Rethwisch of the Torrance Police Department discuss the city's curfew law at its final meeting of the year.

Following the program, Mrs. William Poser, president of Torrance Council PTA, installed the association's new officers.

Mrs. Al Klempman is president. Taking office with her were Mmes. Ted Neff, Carl Vedborg, and Mr. Victor Kilburn, vice presidents.

Also Mmes. Robert Hilborn, secretary; Enrid Jarrott, corresponding secretary; Don Moore, treasurer; Robert Spangler, auditor; and Robert Schrauben, historian.

New officers were given corsages by Mmes. Rorer Helms and Jim Birmingham, hospitality chairmen.

## Tickets Now on Sale for THS Grad Party

Tickets are now on sale for the Torrance High School after-graduation party, sponsored by the PTA.

The event will be held at the Mavfair Ballroom in Inglewood June 9, beginning at 10:30, with dancing.

Dinner will be served from 12:30 to 2 a. m. and breakfast from 4:30 to 5 a. m.

A photographer will be on hand.

Parents volunteering to sell tickets during the noon hour at the school are Mmes. Cleo McComas, Paul Crossman, C. W. Strahm, Henry Heinlein, Wilfer Mathlin, Ed Ludwig, Robert Hagenbaugh, W. M. McDade, O. O. Clayton, A. A. Krauszer, George Crabtree, and Robert Moffitt.

## Hi Neighbors Plan Family Picnic

The Torrance Hi Neighbor Club will discuss plans for a family picnic in July at a meeting June 21 in the home of Mrs. Harold Bloom, 2023 W. 180th St.

Recently the club staged a come-as-you-are brunch at the home of Mrs. Alton Nigh. Mrs. Robert Dean, president, was hostess. She was assisted by her daughter Cathy and Susan Holt.

Mrs. Louis Ambrosio was awarded first prize for arriving in the most natural attire.

## LITTLE LEAGUE BENEFIT DANCE SET SATURDAY

The Women's Auxiliary of Harbor City Little League will sponsor a dance Saturday, starting at 8:30 p.m., in the Retail Clerks Union Hall, 25949 Belleporte Ave., Harbor City.

The event will feature a five-piece orchestra. Proceeds will benefit the league.

Tickets may be obtained from Little League members or at the door.



MISS SALLY LEE BRIDGEMAN To Wed Dancing Partner

# Miss Bridgeman Will Become Bride June 11

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bridgeman, 4910 Calle de Arboles, Palos Verdes Estates, have announced the approaching wedding of their daughter, Miss Sally Lee Bridgeman, June 11 in Lake Tahoe, Nev.

Miss Bridgeman, an entertainer now appearing at the Harrahs Country Club in Lake Tahoe, will become the bride of her partner, Charles Gray of Los Angeles.

The couple are a song-and-dance team with Miss Bridgeman handling the vocal arrangements.

The bride-elect was graduated from Torrance High School with the class of '56. She played first violin with the school orchestra and in her senior year received the Bank of America fine-arts award.

During her career, she has appeared with Judy Garland, Ginger Rogers, and at the Dunes and the Sahara Hotel in Las Vegas.

# Emblem Club Plans Style-Show Lunch

With summer stealing a march on spring a record turnout is expected at the sixth annual fashion-show luncheon to be given by Emblem Club 257, Saturday at 12:30 p.m. in the Elks Hall, 1735 W. 162nd St. Gardena.

Named by president, Mrs. Tony Francia, to coordinate the event are Mmes. Erwin Popp, Al Cegara. "Hail Hawaii" has been chosen for the theme.

Fashions - round - the-clock will be provided by the Mari Lyn Shop. Styles, to be modeled by members will depict the three "As," attractive, appropriate and adaptable.

# Camino Dramatists Open in Children's Fantasy

The curtain will rise tomorrow on "The Clown Who Ran Away," El Camino College's children's fantasy, at 7:30 p.m. in the campus theater.

The play also will be presented Saturday at 10:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., and 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are on sale at the book store priced at 50 cents for children under 12 and \$1 for general admission.

Portraying Dodo, the clown who ran away from the circus, will be Eric Morgan.

Dodo will create Mr. Frumpkin's Doll Shop on a Fantasyland main street for the audience. Paul Tucker will play Mr. Frumpkin and

Jim Pike will enact his helper, Andrew, who runs the controls that bring to life the dolls.

Daffy-Down-Dilly, the duck-billed platter puss is played by Midge Kohlman. The role of Rudolf Bernardo Boo, the robber is played by Ed Crosby. His empty-headed henchman, Ugly, is played by Frank Corsentino.

Tension mounts as the robbers plot to steal the dolls and take them to a mountain cave, where the Old Crone waits with a potion to put them to sleep while the ransom is being collected.

"Old Crone" is portrayed by Audrey Laster.



MAKE-UP MASIC—Eric Morgan, who portrays the leading role in El Camino's "The Clown Who Ran Away," admires his personality change under instruction of Howard M. Banks, director. Fantasy will be given Friday, Saturday at college.