

In First Methodist . . .

# Bertha Ferm Married To Richard L. Johnson

First Methodist Church was the scene of the Oct. 7 wedding of Miss Bertha Lou Ferm and Richard L. Johnson.



MRS. RICHARD L. JOHNSON . . . the former Bertha Ferm

The couple exchanged vows before an altar decorated with white gladioli and mums.

Bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Ferm, Sr., of 1104 Acacia Ave.

The bridegroom is son of the Paul W. Johnsons of 918 Acacia Ave.

**Wedding Gown**

For her nuptials, the bride selected a gown of Alencon lace over taffeta, with fitted bodice and sabrina neckline. The dress was embroidered with seed pearls and sequins.

Her short veil cascaded from a crown-shaped cap.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Attendants were Mrs. William Gardner, matron of honor, and Misses Paula Johnson and Margie Rodgers, bridesmaids.

Miss Betsy Hood was flower girl.

The matron of honor wore a ballerina length pink nylon organza dress and carried blue carnations.

Bridesmaids wore blue gowns and carried blue carnations.

Miss Hood was dressed in pink and carried rose petals.

**Bridegroom's Attendants**

Best man was William Gardner, Richard and Robert Kyle were ushers, and Wayne Anderson Ferm was ring bearer.

Candlelighters were Norman Ferm Jr. and Tom Rodgers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Ferm was dressed in an azalea-pink peau-de-soie dress and hat.

The bridegroom's mother wore a navy blue suit and matching accessories.

Following a reception in the church hall, the couple left for a two week-honeymoon to Oakland and Las Vegas. They are now residing at 13006 S. Vermont, Gardena.

The newlyweds are 1960 graduates of Torrance High School.

The bride is employed by Globe Electrical Manufacturing in Gardena and her husband works for American Auto Supplies.



WINNERS—Little Company of Mary Hospital Auxiliary hosted benefit day at the harness races. Arriving in Hollywood Park Turf Club, where South Bay group gave post-race cocktail dance, were Mmes. Curt Millsap (left) and Frank McCormick. Proceeds go to hospital.

Juniors Present . . .

## Halloween Party Honors CDA Juniorette Court

Members of Junior Court Our Lady of Victory, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold a Halloween party Saturday at 2 p.m. in St. James Parish Hall, Redondo Beach.

Decorations for the party will include corn stalks, pumpkins and cardboard black cats, witches and ghosts.

Mrs. Roger Ste. Marie is chairman.

Members of Troop St. Margaret Mary are assisting with decorations.

Mrs. Richard Abshear and members of Troop St. Francis of Assisi will serve refreshments.

Mrs. Robert Ryan and girls of Troop St. Robert Bellarmine are planning entertainment.

The junior court is composed of girls aged 12 to 16. The party will honor

the Juniorettes, a group for girls from 8 to 12 years of age.

Both groups will present a fashion show, "Traveling Teens," Sunday, Nov. 12, in the parish hall.

Members of the courts will model clothes from Robert Hall.

Chairman of the junior court is Mrs. Abshear. Co-chairman is Mrs. Ste. Marie.

Mrs. Norman Dupont is juniorette chairman.

## Mavericks Promenade the Square Saturday Evening at Sportsman's

"Honor your partners, now square your sets!" This will be the cry Saturday night at Sportsman's Park as Maverick Square Dance Club of Torrance sponsors a party-dance at 8 p.m.

Marvin Stanley, Bill Ball, Noble Spees and other guest callers will be on hand.

An exhibition dance by the Tumble Bugs, pre-teen youngsters who have their own six-year-old caller, will be a feature.

The dance is open to the public and all square dancers are invited to attend. Tickets will be available at the door, or from any Maverick member.

Maverick Square Dance Club meets every Friday night at Torrance Woman's Club, 1422 Engracia. Members come from all cities of the South Bay area.

They have a policy of visiting as many local clubs as possible and of inviting all dancers to attend their own Friday night dances.

The club has been on television and also furnished part of the half time entertainment at one of USC's

football games last year. Also, the club has been active in promoting square dancing by participating in the many beginners classes.

## Girl Scouts Tour United Buildings

Girls from Girl Scout Intermediate Troop 2030, sponsored by St. Catherine Labourer Council of Catholic Women attended open house at United Air Lines Oct. 14.

Vern Kopang and O. Kopang chaperoned Lynn Kopang, Patty Flynn, Pat Francis and Debbie McCabe.

Mrs. Win Dowling chaperoned Kathy Dowling, Susan Egnatuk, Kathy Remlinger, Judy White, Kathy Van Hovan and Maureen Tyrrell.

Christine and Norine De Prez and leader Mrs. William De Prez and family also attended.

Girls toured the buildings and boarded DC-8 and Boeing 720 jets, DC-7, and DC-7A cargoliner.

Each girl received a brochure explaining the air lines, fleet, passenger capacity and speed. They also received a miniature DC-8 plane.



MR. AND MRS. FRED BURMESTER . . . recently wed

## Circus Comes to School as Annual Halloween Frolic Gets Under Way

There'll be "Halloween Frolics" at 223rd St. School Saturday, as the school presents its annual program from 10:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Ted DeWayne Bros. Circus will entertain, along with Parkey the Kangaroo and his little helper.

Those attending will find lots of hotdogs, punch, games and prizes.

In addition there will be a bake sale and general store.

Chairman of ways and means are Mmes. Dwayne Witty, Samuel B. Gebert and John Bankard.

"Providing for Exceptional Children" was theme of the Oct. 10 meeting, at which William Culp, coordinating counselor for South District of Los Angeles schools, explained problems confronting parents and children.

Mrs. George Morehart discussed work of Volunteers for Children at Harbor General Hospital.

Mrs. Marie Lorenz, principal

pal announced interest clubs in art, audabon, dance and science are now underway.

## Tea Welcomes State Controller

Alan Cranston, state controller, will be honored at a tea Friday at the Torrance YWCA.

Women's Democratic Society and Torrance Democrats, Inc., will sponsor the tea from 2 until 4 p.m.

Cranston will discuss "Financial Responsibility in State Government."

The controller is a member of the Board of Equalization and the State Lands Commission.

He is also a writer on world affairs. In 1945 his book, "Killing of the Peace," was on the New York Times "Ten Best Books of the Year" list.

Reservations for the tea may be made by calling Mrs. David K. Lyman, tea chairman, at FR 0-1803.

# Women

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In Evening Wedding . . .

## Linda Huffman Exchanges Rings with Indiana Man

Miss Linda M. Huffman became the bride of Dwight C. Morrison Friday, Oct. 13, in First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Fraser of 20567 Amie Ave., Torrance. Fraser escorted his daughter to the altar.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Morrison of Hammond, Ind.

**Church Decorations**

For the 7:30 p.m. ceremony, the church was decorated with gladioli and stocks.

The bride was gowned in a street-length dress of white brocade. She wore a short veil.

Her bouquet was a cascade of gardenias.

Maid of Honor was Miss Irene Masaki. Miss Diane Martin was bridesmaid.

Vocalist was Miss Imogene De Nunzio.

**Others in Party**

Best man was Robert Haehl Jr. Gary Huffman was usher and Tim Fraser was ring bearer.

The bride's mother was dressed in green brocade.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

After a honeymoon to Las Vegas and Crestline the couple will reside at 1415 Greenwood, Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High and El Camino College. Her husband graduated from Hammond Clark High, in Hammond, Ind., and served in the Marine Corps. He is presently attending El Camino.



MRS. DWIGHT C. MORRISON . . . nee Linda Huffman



DISCUSSING plans for the Democratic Women's Tea honoring State Controller Alan Cranston are Mmes. John Shidler and David K. Lyman, while Dr. Frank Sullivan lends a hand. Tea will be Friday at YWCA.

## Carideos Host "Island Dinner"

The south seas atmosphere of the Polynesian Restaurant was the setting for an island dinner party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. John

Carideo of Torrance. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Vicellio of Rolling Hills and Mr. and Mrs. William E. Lutz of Torrance.

## Halldale Avenue Brownie Troop Organized

Twelve new Brownies will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Roy Carlson 21218 Budlong Ave., Torrance.

The Brownies are the first members of the troop at Halldale Avenue School. Mrs. Ronald French is co-leader with Mrs. Carlson.

New members are: Cynthia Ashing, Karen Hale, Dianne Moon, Diana French, Susan Barbato, Jeanice Greenlee, Janet Carlson, Carrie Moore, Cheryl Hoffman, Maureen Mathews, Linda Ecker and Susan Corley.

Committee members of the troop will be: Mmes. Joseph Ashing, William Greenlee, Dean Hoffman and Daniel E. Moon.

Halldale PTA will sponsor its annual Halloween costume parade Friday at 9:30 a.m.

All students at the school will participate in the parade.

The first fund-raising project of the PTA will be a bake sale following the parade.

Pastries will be donated by PTA members. Coffee will also be sold.

## National AAUW Officer Speaks To Local Unit

Mrs. Ray W. Townsend, national vice president for the South Pacific region of American Association of University Women, addressed the Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills Branch Thursday.

A dinner preceded the meeting, which was held in the art gallery of the Palos Verdes library.

Mrs. Townsend reported on the national convention held in Washington, D.C., in June.

She also discussed national AAUW policies.

A symposium moderated by Mrs. H. C. McLendon, second vice president, followed Mrs. Townsend's talk.

Participating in the discussion were: Mmes. Fred C. Allen, Frances Scott, Robert D. Ferguson, Frank C. Fisher, Joseph Goodwin, James Heusdens, Harry G. Peterson and Dr. Maxine Ziegler. Topic discussed was "The Challenge to Educated Women

## Double Rings

### Nuptial Mass Unites Couple in Marriage

In recent double ring nuptials in St. James Catholic Church, Redondo Beach, Miss Ann Lavelle became the bride of Fred Burmester.

Rev. Jerome Thompson officiated.

John Lavelle escorted his daughter to the altar.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Burmester of 22529 S. Figueroa, Torrance.

The bride wore a floor-length lace dress. Her finger-tip illusion veil was held in place by a pearl tiara. She carried a white orchid on a prayer book.

**Maid of Honor**

Maid of Honor, Miss Alice Lavelle, sister of the bride, wore a dress of baby blue chiffon and taffeta.

In similar dresses of ice blue were bridesmaids, Misses Julie Kobiskie, Kathy Tretton and Jane Vandepas.

The attendant's carried pink carnations in cascade arrangements.

Flower girl was Miss Kathy Nason.

Best man was Louis Mar-

cotte. Groomsmen were Larry Burmester, John Lavelle and Glen Conway.

Michael Conway was ring bearer.

Soloist for the nuptial mass was Miss Florence Flynn. Background music was played by Mrs. Lydia Sanstrom at the organ.

**Reception**

Knights of Columbus Hall in Redondo Beach was scene of the reception for more than 300 guests.

The newlyweds cut a three-tiered cake decorated with silver leaves and topped with a figure of a bridal couple.

Mother of the bride selected a blue lace over taffeta dress with matching accessories.

Mrs. Burmester wore a black-and-white print dress with black accessories.

The bride's going-away outfit was a royal blue wool jersey sheath with black patent leather accessories.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple departed for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where the bridegroom is stationed with the army.

The bride is a 1958 graduate of Bishop Conaty Girls High School and was a nurse's aid at Daniel Freedman Hospital, Inglewood.

The bridegroom graduated from Banning High in 1957 and was a member of the Wilmington CYOF-Los Crusados club.