



PAUSING BETWEEN DANCES at the first anniversary party of the South Bay Folk Dancers are (l-r) Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd of Palos Verdes and Mrs. Lewis Roland of Torrance. Sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department, the group meets at 8 p.m. at Valmonte School Cafeteria. Newcomers class will begin Feb. 1.

(Photo by Al Frederic)

# Women

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## Newcomers Folk Dance Class Set

South Bay Folk Dancers will sponsor a "Newcomers" class beginning Friday, February 1. The class will concentrate on simple dances emphasizing basic steps.

Persons interested in participating are asked to contact Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Rebnick, FRontier 5-3170.

Both the South Bay Folk Dancers and the "Newcomers" will meet at Valmonte School Cafeteria, 3801 Via La Selva, Palos Verdes Estates from 8 to 11 p.m.

The folk dancers, sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department, celebrated their first anniversary with a party night. The group holds a party night every two months. Members who own costumes are invited to wear them.



INSTALLED as officers of Rebekah Lodge Trio No. 240 for 1963 at a meeting Tuesday were: (l-r) Mrs. Anna Reynolds, vice grand; and Mrs. Verna Johnson, noble grand. Also inducted were: Mmes. Bertha Fern, recording secretary; Hattie Schroeder, financial secretary; and Emma Schummer, treasurer.

(Seaman photo)

## Rebekah Lodge Installs Slate

Officers for 1963 were installed by Rebekah Lodge No. 240 at ceremony conducted Tuesday evening.

Installing officers were Mrs. Georgia Smith, district deputy president of District 84, and Mrs. Dorothy Grey, marshal, assisted by the district staff and 42-member drill team.

Invested as junior past noble grand was Mrs. Mae Van Wic. Other officers inducted

were: Mmes. Verna Johnson, noble grand; Anna Reynolds, vice grand; Bertha Fern, recording secretary; Hattie Schroeder, financial secretary; and Emma Schummer, treasurer.

Inducted as trustee for one year was Mrs. Margie Russell. Mrs. Delbert Bench will serve as trustee for two years; and Mrs. Elizabeth Yerton will be three-year trustee.



PREPARING DECORATIONS for the 12th annual Valentine Ball of Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary are (l-r) Mmes. Paul Roettger, Robert Massingill and Leon Wanne. The event will be held Saturday, Feb. 9, at the

Palos Verdes Country Club. Dinner and dancing will be featured following a 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. social hour. Reservations are limited to 300.

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## South Bay Hospital Auxiliary to Install

New officers of the South Bay Hospital Auxiliary will be installed tomorrow in ceremonies at a luncheon meeting at the Pen and Quill Restaurant, Manhattan Beach.

Invested as president will be Mrs. Elmer B. Thompson, of Hermosa Beach who will succeed Mrs. Thomas L. Stern of Palos Verdes Estates.

Installing officer will be Russell B. Williams, former administrator of South Bay Hospital and an honorary life member of the auxiliary.

Other officers to be inducted will be Mrs. Paul D. Yates of Manhattan Beach, first vice president in charge of programs; Mrs. Carl Rausch of Manhattan Beach, second vice president in charge of ways and means; Mrs. Thomas Rupert, of Torrance, third vice president in charge of membership; Mrs. Robert Sease, of Palos Verdes Estates, recording secretary of Torrance, corresponding secretary; Mrs.

Paul Benson, secretary; Mrs. Louis Payne of Palos Verdes Estates, treasurer, and Mrs. William Taylor, of Rolling Hills, financial secretary.

The new president of the Auxiliary has been a resident of Hermosa Beach for the past 17 years. She and her husband have a son, Craig, age 7.

Prior to residence in Hermosa, Mrs. Thompson lived in San Gabriel. She is a graduate of Alhambra High School and attended Pepperdine College for two years.

Although she lists her occupation as "housewife," Mrs. Thompson has an avocational background that runs from wartime flying to

braille. During World War II she quit college to enter flight training as a ferry pilot in the WASP organization. After accumulating approximately 250 hours, the program was discontinued.

In South Bay, she has been active as a brailleist. She is one of a small group that brailles school books for

children in the Meadows School, Manhattan Beach, sight saving program.

In the South Bay Hospital Auxiliary, she has been secretary for the past two years.

Mrs. Thompson sees the 1963 year for the Auxiliary as embarking on a two-fold mission; hospital fund drives and auxiliary membership drives.

## VEGAS LICENSES

LAS VEGAS, Nev.—Marriage licenses issued here include:

Dick - Pace — Jan. 1, Jerry Lee Dick, 29, of Torrance, and Charlotte J. Pace, 19, of Gardena.

Gomez - Main — Jan. 1, Fortino Gomez, 21, of San Pedro, and Faith G. Main, 17, of Torrance.

Hogan - Hoyt — Jan. 1, Palmer Hogan, 30, and Julie Ann Hoyt, 23, both of Torrance.

Brown - Baughman—Jan.

2, Ronald R. Brown, 28, of Redondo Beach, and Sandra Baughman, 26, of Torrance.

Golden - Woods — Jan. 4, Ray L. Golden, 21, of Torrance, and Phyllis Ruth Woods, 19, of Redondo Beach.

Hartley - Thompson—Jan. 5, Doil T. Hartley, 37, of Wilmington, and Wilda F. Thomlinson, 42, of Torrance.

Lukey - Fenn — Jan. 5, John F. Lukey Jr., 23, of Los Angeles, and Karen K. Fenn, 20, of Torrance.

Markus - Fraser — Jan. 5, George C. Markus, 41, and Genevieve J. Fraser, 35, both of Torrance.

Rupert - Johnson — Jan. 5, Ralph Lawrence Rupert, 19, and Dorothy Ann Johnson, 16, both of Torrance.

Ricketts - Hornbeck—Jan. 5, Eugene E. Ricketts, 19, of Lancaster, and Nancy M. Hornbeck, 18, of Torrance.

Martinez - Ralston — Jan. 6, Loyde F. Martinez, 21, of Lawndale, and Ethelyn S. Ralston, 22, of Torrance.

Bailey - Brannon — Jan. 7, Oscar Dee Bailey, 33, of Torrance, and Lois V. Brannon, 30, of Paramount.

alley - Anderson — Jan. 7, Dale Bailey, 34, of Torrance, and Joyce Mae Anderson, 22, of Artesia.

## PTA News

**SAFETY AND SURVIVAL**  
Newton PTA met at 8 p.m. Thursday in the school cafeteria for a program entitled, "Safety and Survival."

Guest speaker from the office of Civilian Defense. He presented a program concerning what the individual can do for himself and his family in the event of national emergencies, where doctors and professionals help would not be available.

Hostesses were fifth grade mothers.

Next board meeting will be at 10 a.m. Feb. 14 at the home of Mrs. William Johnston.

**SCHOOL FINANCING**

Edison PTA holds its regular association meeting in the school cafeteria. Donald Credell, principal, led the pledge of allegiance and Mrs. Edwin Ducummun gave the inspirational message.

Featured chairmen were Mrs. Robert Trevathan, hospitality, and Mrs. Stanley Saunders, courtesy.

Elected to serve on the nominating committee were Mmes. John Baur, William Cassida, Maurie Bruner, Art Lester and Stanley Saunders.

A motion was passed to send \$50 to the Torrance Scholarship fund.

Mr. Credell spoke on financing of schools and Peter Fisher was introduced as the new music teacher.

Winners of attendance banners were Miss Patricia Perry, lower grades, and Miss Dorothy Moncrieff, upper grades.

The Clown Club of North High School, under the direction of Mrs. Lenore Anderson, presented humorous skits. Clowns participating were Todd Longtellow, Linda Lutz, Kelly Sims, Terry Griffin, Randy Scheel, Norm Rosenblatt, Bob Woodward, Nancy Bacher and Linda Verros. Kelly Sims and Bob Woodward were announcers.

Fourth grade mothers hosted the meeting and served refreshments.

The annual potluck dinner will be held Feb. 13 in the Edison cafeteria. Highlights of the evening will be the Founder's Day program presented by Mrs. Carl Miller, Founder's Day chairman, and awarding of the honorary life membership pin by Mrs. Burt Richardson, honorary life chairman.

Edison PTA executive board will be hostesses.

## Constance Charlton Weds John Noone

Miss Constance Ann Charlton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Charlton, 1528 W. 215th St., Torrance, became the bride of John William Noone, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John William Noone of 2763 Onrado Ave.

in a double-ring ceremony performed at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 12 at Nativity Catholic Church, Torrance.

Rev. Father Apping officiated.

The bride was dressed in a white lace over satin gown with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves and carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations.

Miss Susan Marshall was

maid of honor and Robert A. Noone Jr. was best man.

Miss Barbara Noone presided at the guest book at a reception immediately following the ceremony.

A graduate of Torrance High School, class of '61, the bride is employed as a clerk-typist at Magnavox Research Labs.

The bridegroom, who graduated from Torrance High in 1958, is employed by Okey Caterers.

Upon their return from a two week honeymoon in Carmel, the couple will make their home at 1557 Torrance Blvd.



MRS. JOHN NOONE, JR., former Connie Charlton

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