



ADMIRING DECORATIONS to be used at the annual Shamrock Ball of the South Bay Pharmaceutical Assn. and Women's Auxiliary are (l-r) Mmes. Jack Fenske, ticket chairman Donald Demarest, past president; and

Carl Putnam, decoration committee chairman. The event will take place Saturday, March 16, at the Thunderbird Hotel.

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Nuptial Vows Said

Miss Francine Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence of 4614 W. 191st St., Torrance, became the bride of Phillip D. Neelands, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Neelands of 22221 Susana Ave., Torrance in a double ring ceremony performed at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 23 at St. James Catholic Church, Redondo Beach.

Father Jerome Thompson officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin brocade gown. Her net veil cascaded from a crown of pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations, hyacinths and white orchid.

Mary Anne Jacobs was maid of honor. She was dressed in a turquoise sheath and carried pale pink carnations.

Best man was Wayne Newman. He had as his attendants Maynard Rice and Donald Reagan.

The wedding reception was held in the parish hall. Donald Lawrence presided at the guest book. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Gregg Hazle of Mountain View.

Following a San Francisco honeymoon, the newlyweds will reside in Torrance.

The bride, who attended schools in North Dakota, is a graduate of Leuzinger High School, class of 1957. The bridegroom attended St. James Parochial School and graduated from Serra High School, Gardena, in 1958. He is affiliated with Von's Markets.



MRS. PHILLIP D. NEELANDS ... former Miss Francine Lawrence (photo by Seeman Studios)

Junior Women Entertain New Members at Coffee

Mrs. Donald French, membership chairman for the Torrance Junior Womans Club, entertained prospective members at a coffee party in her home, Thursday morning.

Juniors attending were: Mmes. Ronald Forrestal, president, Gordon Gmur, Richard Rankin, and Robert West.

Prospective members included: Mmes. Francis Parsons and John Bailey, Mrs. Rod Newlun, a transfer from San Jose Junior Womans Club also was present. New members were given

information on Juniors activities and projects worked on during the year.

Forthcoming activities discussed were the March meeting which will feature a film and speaker explaining Project Hope and the rummage sale to be held March 22 and 23 at the Torrance Scout Center.

Highlighting March activities will be the annual Junior-Senior Fashion Show on March 30. This year the theme will be Mexican Holiday. The event will be held at the Hacienda Motor Hotel in San Pedro.

PTA News

PORTRAIT OF SERVICE

"Portrait Of Service" was the theme of the February meeting of the Arlington PTA. The pledge of allegiance was led by members of Boy Scout Troop No. 242, Mr. Yanoghara is leader.

Main item of business was reading of the report of the nominating committee elected at the January meeting. Officers for 1963-64 offered by the committee were: Mrs. Kenneth Lemke, president; Mrs. Richard Bird, first vice president; Henry Behrens, second vice president; Mrs. Robert Biener, third vice president; Mrs. Joseph Little, fourth vice president; Mrs. Wilbur Harmon, fifth vice president; Mrs. Allan Richardson, recording secretary; Mrs. Philip Aurit, corresponding secretary; Mrs. James Shimizu, treasurer; Mrs. Wayne Pearson, auditor; Mrs. Robert Jones, historian.

Mrs. Jack Prince, chairman of the committee, read the report to the association.

Mrs. Kenneth Lemke, program chairman pro-tem, introduced Mrs. Robert Jones, Founders Day and honorary life chairman, who presented the program for the evening.

Assisted by the Girls Chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Susan MacDougall, seventh grade teacher, Mrs. Jones conducted a candle-light tableau honoring Founders Day.

Following the ceremony, Mrs. Jones read community service backgrounds of the two honorary life membership recipients and presented them with honorary life membership pins. Recipients were Mrs. Jack Prince and George Spindler.

Mrs. William Bauer, pres-

ident, introduced past Arlington PTA presidents: Mrs. Wayne Pearson, Mrs. Jack Prince, and Mrs. Francis Stutler, who received carnation corsages from Mrs. Van Jones, courtesy chairman. Mrs. Jones also presented corsages and boutonnieres to past honorary life recipients: Mrs. Bea Van DeVort, Mrs. Frank Oldt, Mrs. Harry Goodgold, Orville Moody and Robert Jones.

Mrs. Bruce Bishop, room representative chairman, introduced third grade room mothers, hostesses for the evening. A decorated cake and coffee were served following the meeting.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Fleming Junior High PTA elected their new board at the Founders Day Meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 26, at Crusader Hall.

Those named were: Mmes. Ralph Robertson, president; Dallas Wallick, first vice president; Ada Ludke, second vice president; John Blencowe, third vice president; Robert Rohl, treasurer; F. E. Eggleston, secretary; R. E. Frazier, corresponding secretary; T. E. Coggins, auditor; and E. J. Hieronymous, historian.

A skit, "Dragon Wagon Train," was presented in honor of past presidents. Mrs. John Blencowe, Mrs. Michael Travers and Mrs. Frank Samson took parts of pioneer women in the skit, while Mrs. Dallas Wallick was writer and narrator.

Mrs. Don Woods presented Mrs. Don Graham with the honorary life membership.

PTA, PAST AND PRESENT

Founders' Day meeting of

Ball to Be Set at Thunderbird Hotel

Setting for the Shamrock Ball dinner dance of the South Bay Pharmaceutical Association and Women's Auxiliary will be the international ballroom of the Thunderbird Hotel, El Segundo. The annual event is set for Saturday, March 16.

Guests will gather for the social hour at 7 p.m., and dinner will be served at 8:30 p.m. Dancing to the music of the Henry Miranda Orchestra will be featured until 1 a.m.

Mrs. Robert A. Sherrill, president of the Women's Auxiliary, announces that proceeds will go to the pharmacy scholarship fund, which assists worthy pharmacy students in completing their necessary education.

Pharmacy is a six year course, according to Mrs. Sherrill. Two students at the University of Southern California are being sponsored at this time, she stated.

Reservations are being taken by Ed Lalonde, president of the men's association, and Mmes. R. A. Sherrill and C. E. Brauer of the auxiliary. The reservation deadline is March 12.

Committees working on the event are: Messrs. and Mmes. J. H. Fenske, Douglas Ingle, Charles Mizera, door prizes; Mmes. J. H. Fenske, raffle; Carl Putnam, decorations; C. P. Abler, first vice president; and Ralph A. Rector, treasurer.

John Fiebelkorn for her work with the Girl Scouts and other youth groups, and posthumously to John Shriver for his work with the community and children. Mr. Shriver's award was accepted by his widow, Mrs. Helen Jean Shriver.

Honored guests for the evening were: Mrs. James Orr, president elect of Torrance Council and the following former honorary life

the Towers Elementary Parent Teachers Association was highlighted by a skit entitled "PTA, Past and Present" presented by Mrs. Charles R. Petersen, featured chairman for the evening.

The nominating committee, headed by Mrs. Graddon Stuart, made its report. Members of the committee were: Mmes. Raymond Lewand, Stafford Mox, Marcus Martin, and William Pace.

Officers nominated by the committee for the coming election are: Mmes. George V. McLean, president; William McKim, first vice president; William Pace, second vice president; Franklin D. Bryant, third vice president; Raymond Lewand, recording secretary; Graddon Stuart, corresponding secretary; Marcus Martin, treasurer; Douglas H. Swan, historian, and Martha Jensen, auditor.

Honorary life memberships were presented to Mrs.

John Schwab, left, treasurer, and Mrs. Gordon McGinley former honorary life recipient.



RECEIVING honorary life memberships from Banning High School is Mrs. Doc Cross, center, who teaches world geography and serves as advisor to the annual publication at the

high school. Pictured with the honorary life recipient at the Founders Day meeting are Mrs. John Schwab, left, treasurer, and Mrs. Gordon McGinley former honorary life recipient.



POURING COFFEE at a membership event for prospective members of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club is Mrs. Ronald Forrestal, president. The membership coffee took place Thursday at the home of Mrs. Don-

ald French, membership chairman. Pictured with Mrs. Forrestal are (l-r) Mmes. Rod Newlun, transfer from San Jose Junior Woman's Club, and John Bailey and Francis Parsons, prospectives. —PRESS photo