



MRS. ROBERT L. GRIESS  
... Former Gloria Cautiero  
(Sidney Cartier Photo)

## Mr. Mrs. Robert Griess Now Home in Torrance

In a double ring ceremony at the St. Bernadette Catholic Church in Los Angeles recently, Miss Gloria G. Cautiero, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cautiero of Inglewood, exchanged marriage vows with Robert L. Griess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Griess, 17503 Delia Ave., Torrance.

As the 350 guests assembled, Miss Sandra Tavack, at the organ, played the nuptial music and accompanied Dennis Mangers, soloist. The Rev. J. Gibson officiated at the marriage.

The bride approached the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a floor-length gown of silk organza over satin, enhanced with embroidered roses sprinkled

with seed pearls and crystals. The full skirt of the gown fell into a wide chapel train. The bouffant veil was secured by large organza roses ornamented with seed pearls. Orchids, stephanotis and white wheat formed the bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Jack Henderson as matron of honor headed the bridal entourage consisting of Miss Julie Pelton, Miss Joann Dolfi, Mrs. James Shockley and Mrs. Paul Bertini, bridesmaids; and Nicki Hill, flower girl. They were all gowned in Nile green and carried chrysanthemums in the fall colors.

Gregory McBain served as best man and ushers were Erik Karleson, Jeffrey Naumann, Frank Husson and Paul Gertini. John Shockley carried the rings.

After the marriage, the guests were entertained at a seated dinner at the Pen and Quill restaurant.

Following a three weeks honeymoon in Carmel, the newlyweds are now at home at 23135 Samuel St., Torrance.

Both the bride and her husband are native Californians. Mrs. Griess was graduated from St. Mary's Academy and attended El Camino College.

Her husband, a graduate of North High School and El Camino College, is employed by the Prudential Insurance Co.

## Bridge Party

Mrs. M. A. Bauman was hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home, 3916 Palos Verdes Dr., N.

The hostess served a luncheon which was followed by an afternoon of bridge. At the final count, high score was held by Mrs. Dean Sears and second by Mrs. Delbert Thomsen.

Mrs. Bauman's guests were Mmes. W. C. Boswell, Eugene Cook, Paul Lorange, John Melville, Delbert Thomsen, Dean Sears, club members; and Mrs. Laura Felker, a guest.

## Homes Tour Followed by Christmas Tea

# 'Yule Parlor Parade' In Palos Verdes on Dec. 4-5

Heralding the holiday season on the Peninsula will be the eighth annual Yule Parlor Parade staged by the Women's Fellowship of the Neighborhood Church of Palos Verdes. The homes tour will be followed by a Christmas tea at the church. Mrs. Donald Felgar, chairman of this year's Yule Parlor Parade, is being assisted by Mrs. John Sainsevain.

The event will be held Friday and Saturday, Dec. 4 and 5, from noon until 5 p.m. both days.

Funds raised by the tour will support the work of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Eymann, missionaries at Central Christian College in the Philippines; Toberman House in San Pedro, American Field Service, YWCA, and a scholarship for a seminary student at Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley.

### Homes on Tour

Four homes, each appropriately decorated for its style of architecture, two the work of local florists, and two by their artistically talented owners, will be open on this year's tour.

"Christmas Dinner" will be the theme at the John W. Brown home, 2501 Navato Pl. This is a Tudor style house with American and Victorian furnishings.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Dean, 965 Via

Rincon, will be the setting for the "Christmas Buffet." This home is a perfect colonial setting for many family heirlooms.

A contemporary house with interiors in white and gold, the home of the Norman Obermans at 589 Via Del Monte, will be the scene of the gala "Christmas Was-sail."

A contemporary house, reminiscent of a Pompeian villa with handmade Italian and French Provincial furnishings, has been chosen for the "Christmas Eve" drama. This is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irmin Roberts, 700 Horcada Place.

### Yule Shop

Guests at the tea may visit the Yule Shop where handmade gift items, including aprons, decorated candles, baked goods and other items, will be on sale. Dur-

ing the tea, a musical background will be played.

Mrs. Lyman Lee is serving as coordinator of the homes' tour hostesses; Mmes. William Boves and L. E. Burns are tea chairmen; Donald Hannum and Lester Persson, assignments; John Reid, aprons.

Other chairmen are Mmes. Jerry Kopecek, bake sale; John Sainsevain and Louis Payne, tickets; Lewis Andrews and Ned Bailey, correspondence; Harold Bothwell, music; William Patterson and Paul F. Peterson, Yule Shop; Carl Hoffman, candles; Gordon Nash, arts and crafts; Robert Monosmith and Albert F. King, publicity.

Tickets, now on sale at the church, may also be purchased at each tour home on the days of the parade.



HOMES TOUR AND TEA . . . In the patio overlooking the bay, these members of the Neighborhood Church Women's Fellowship talk over items for their Yule Shop to be open at their Christmas Tea at the church following a tour of four peninsula homes elegant in holiday attire. Preparing for the Dec. 4 and 5 affair are, from left, standing, Mmes. C. M. Hafner, Donald Felgar, and James Bryant. Seated, from left, Mmes. Harold Carter and John Comeau. Tickets may be purchased at the church now or at any of the four homes on tour days.

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HOLIDAY BAZAAR TIME . . . Torrance: Woman's club, 1422 Engracia, will become a veritable Christmas Wonderland on Dec. 9 when club members stage their annual Christmas Bazaar. A businessmen's lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. with Mrs. C. L. Porter as chairman. Booths filled with homemade Christmas delicacies, gift items and decoration will offer an intriguing diversion for bazaar-goers. Creating the mood, Santa Claus (Mrs. Joseph Bay) welcomes Johnny Lenk and his mother, Mrs. Eugene Lenk, as Mrs. Andrew Acampora, president, looks on. Mrs. Alma Smith may be called for luncheon tickets.

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At Clubhouse on Dec. 9

## Club Will Present Gala 'Christmas Fair'

Christmas decorations, homemade festive gifts, and homemade goodies will be featured at the annual "Holiday Bazaar" of the Torrance Woman's Club to be held Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., Torrance, beginning at 10 a.m. Mrs. Richard Dorothy is general chairman of the event.

A businessmen's lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Assisting Mrs. C. L. Porter, chairman, will be Mmes. Alma Smith, tickets; F. M. Shaw, posters; W. W. Rasmussen, Edwin Moudy, A. S. Moore, James G. Laird, J. G. Louvier, H.

W. Irwin, Hugh M. Cahill, and E. J. Lenk.

Members serving as booth chairmen are Mmes. John Keefer, baked goods; Neal Humphrey, books; Victor E. Benstead, Christmas decorations and crafts; and Joseph Bay, white elephants.

Homemade candies will be featured at the Torrance Junior Woman's Club booth.

The public is invited to attend this major ways and means project. All proceeds go into the club's philanthropy fund.

For luncheon ticket information, contact Mrs. Alma Smith or any club member.

## Return From Vacation In The Orient

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Beeman of Torrance and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lasell of Concord, Calif., formerly of Torrance, returned last weekend from a three and half weeks plane trip to the Orient.

The foursome were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Misawa in Tokyo. They visited Hongkong, Bangkok, Singapore and spent four days in Hawaii enroute home.

### Houseguests

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boulter, 1721 Hickory Ave. have as their houseguests this week, Mr. Boulter's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gilliam of Placena.

## Medical Research Benefit

# Tri-Delt Sleigh Bell Luncheon Set Dec. 1

Delta Delta Delta sleigh bells will ring early this year ushering in the Yuletide season when Tri Delt Alumnae stage their annual "Sleigh Bell Luncheon" in the International Ballroom at the Beverly Hilton Hotel on Dec. 1. A social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. after which guests enter the dining room to music furnished by the Sidney Zaid quartet.

The scene will be festive with dark green feather Christmas trees centering the tables covered with white linen. Nestling near the top of each tree will be two white doves to complement the "Holiday Romantics" theme of the fashion show to be staged by Saks Fifth Avenue.

The Sleigh Bell Luncheon is supported by Tri-Delt Alumnae chapters from

### Clubwomen at District Meet

Nine members of the Torrance Woman's Club attended the Marina District 18 Council held at the El Segundo Woman's Club on Friday, Nov. 20.

Attending were Mmes. Andrew Acampora, president; LeRoy Pulliam, R. L. Rudy, Robert Moffitt, Alma Smith, J. G. Louvier, F. M. Shaw, Blandford Moyer, and Neil Humphrey.

Santa Barbara to Newport Beach. Among those responsible for the extensive plans and arrangements is Mrs. E. W. Casagrande of Rolling Hills.

Among this year's patronesses are Mrs. Dean Harrel of San Pedro, Mrs. Walter D. Uptegraff III of Torrance, Mrs. George Bjorklund of Palos Verdes and Mrs. James S. White of El Segundo.

As always, the proceeds from this event are donated by Tri-Delta to the Hematology Research Division of the Los Angeles Children's Hospital. The sorority, since the Medical Research Fund inception in 1947, has provided more than \$130,000 for research in children's blood disorders.

In only two other hospitals in the United States is there a program comparable in scope to that at the Los Angeles Children's hospital.

Mrs. J. Edward Bower is president of the South Bay Alumnae Chapter of Delta Delta Delta.



SLEIGH BELL FANTASY . . . Sleigh bells will officially ring in the Yuletide season for Delta Delta Delta sorority at the luncheon benefit on Dec. 1 at the Beverly Hilton Hotel. South Bay Tri-Delt alumnae, who will attend the affair en masse, help bring in the tinkling season by tying bells on the Christmas tree. They are, from left, Mmes. Rowe Prideau, attaching bell as Mmes. Robert L. Mohle and Richard McGrath assist. Proceeds go to the Hematology Research Division of Children's Hospital.

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SCANDINAVIAN CHRISTMAS . . . Las Madrecitas has chosen the beautiful legend of Lucia of Syracuse, who was the inspiration for the Lucia candle wreaths and rings, dominating Christmas in Scandinavia, for their decor for the annual "Evergreen Ball" at the Palos Verdes Country Club on Dec. 12. A cocktail hour will be followed by dancing. A smorgasbord buffet dinner will be served. Decorating an evergreen are Mrs. Edward Sokolski in the tree handing candy canes to Mmes. James Woodford and Jerry Kopecek. Proceeds will be used to equip a six crib nursery at the Crippled Children's hospital, the Las Madrecitas' pledge this year.

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