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IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Hudson Hostess at Lovely Afternoon Affairs

Orchid and gold was the color scheme cleverly carried out at a lovely bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Orville Hudson at her home on Andros avenue last Friday afternoon.

Bananas and sweet peas in orchid and pink tones, blue iris and Belle of Portugal roses provided the floral note in the decorations.

Mrs. George Watson was awarded first honors at bridge, Mrs. Fay Parks second, and Mrs. M. J. Fix third.

Blended were Mrs. A. Bodell of Altadena, Mrs. May McKinley, Mrs. George Watson, Mrs. Fay Parks, Mrs. Frank Sammons, Mrs. F. B. Dilley, Mrs. Sam Levy, Mrs. A. W. Melzer, Mrs. W. C. Dolley, Mrs. Wallace Gilbert, Mrs. J. S. Lancaster and Mrs. M. J. Fix.

Another delightful affair given by Mrs. Hudson was a charming dessert bridge given at her home on Monday afternoon.

The Easter motif used effectively in the table decorations, with favors of pastel colored snappers and corsages at each place. Easter lilies centered each table, and baskets of miniature candy rabbits were favors.

Guests at the affair were Mrs. Archer Lewis, Mrs. W. J. Neelands, Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. John Dennis, Mrs. Gwendolyn Knudson, Mrs. Paul Vonderahe, Mrs. L. L. Fordice, Mrs. V. L. Maxfield, Mrs. Caroline Collins, Mrs. Lillian Shriner of Los Angeles, Mrs. Don Baxter, Mrs. Thomas Ulrich, Mrs. John V. Murray and Miss Richardson.

Honors for high score at bridge were awarded to Mrs. P. G. Briney, with second to Mrs. Paul Vonderahe, and consolation to Mrs. Lillian Shriner.

BIRTHDAYS INCENTIVE FOR JOINT AFFAIRS

Jointly honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Raymond Rogers and J. H. Fess, Mrs. Fess entertained the Get-Together Club with a bridge dinner at her home on Arlington avenue last Thursday evening.

Orchid and yellow sweet peas decorated the table and daintily contributed to the color motif.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. Allen were awarded honors for high score at bridge; second to Mrs. P. G. Briney and Mr. Fay Parks; consolation awards to Mrs. W. J. Neelands and Mr. Raymond Rogers.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Shriner of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Archer Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Briney, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Neelands, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Parks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fess.

MRS. JOE STONE HOSTESS TO CLUB

Spring flowers gaily decorated the home of Mrs. Joe Stone on Friday when she entertained her club at a delightful bridge luncheon.

Mrs. E. W. Huddleston was awarded first honors at bridge and Mrs. R. R. Smith was awarded consolation. Present were Mrs. Ellis Harder, Mrs. W. H. Stanger, Mrs. Raymond Young, Mrs. Al Harder, Mrs. L. G. Barkdull, Mrs. Floyd Evans, Mrs. Ray Leslie, Mrs. Roxie Sleeth, Mrs. R. R. Smith, Mrs. E. W. Huddleston, Mrs. R. J. Deinger and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Stone.

BENEFIT TEA AT HOLLYWOOD CLUB

A benefit bridge tea will be given at the Hollywood Women's Club at La Brea and Hollywood boulevards Saturday afternoon, April 12, from 2 until 5.

The tea is being given for the benefit of the American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship fund and with the hopes of creating more scholarships for the coming year.

Mrs. Annie Greiner, Phone 76-W, may be called upon for information and reservations.

BETSY ROSS CARD PARTY

Betsy Ross will have another of their popular card parties next Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. There will be tables for both bridge and 500, and refreshments will be served at the close of the evening.

MISS WATERWORTH BECOMES A BRIDE

The wedding of Miss Ila Waterworth and Mr. Calvin Herbol of Pasadena, was solemnized at the Mission Inn in Riverside on Wednesday.

Mrs. Herbol is an employee of the National Supply Company in Torrance.

FRIENDS SURPRISE MRS. URBAN

Mrs. Henry Urban was delightfully surprised when a group of friends dropped in at her home last Sunday evening with birthday greetings and gifts.

Present were Mrs. Charles Daley,

Mrs. J. Sullivan, Mrs. Barbara McManster, Mrs. Louis Smith, Mrs. Paul Vonderahe, Mrs. Otto Batsch, Mrs. Arthur Mullin, Mrs. James Obole, Mrs. James Carlin, Mrs. John Walton, Mrs. T. D. McNeil, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. T. L. Wertz, and the surprised honoree, Mrs. Henry Urban.

APRIL GUILD LUNCHEON

The April Guild of the Catholic church is planning a bridge luncheon to be held on Tuesday afternoon, April 22, at the American Legion clubhouse.

DELIGHTFUL DESSERT BRIDGE

A delightful dessert bridge was given last Friday when Mrs. Otto Batsch entertained her club at her home on Plaza Del Amo.

Honors for high score were presented to Miss Rose Ortman and second to Mrs. Louis Smith. A profusion of spring blooms decorated the Batsch home.

Present were Mrs. Charles Daley, Mrs. L. Arnold, Mrs. Louis Smith, Mrs. Lon Ralston, Mrs. George Smith, Misses Rose and Katherine Ortman and the hostess, Mrs. Otto Batsch.

MRS. CRUMERIE ENTERTAINS COUNCIL

Mrs. Brown Funk, district secretary of Long Beach, was the principal speaker of the afternoon at the all-day meeting of the Council and Missionary Society of the First Christian church, held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Crumerie, 2237 1/2 Figueroa street.

Mrs. Funk spoke on missionary work, and gave some very interesting information on the work that the Christian missionaries are doing.

Mrs. J. O. Sherer, of Long Beach, gave an inspirational talk on the Holy Spirit.

Guests from Long Beach were Mrs. Jas. E. Reynolds, Mrs. Brown Funk, Mrs. R. E. Lynn, Mrs. C. B. Reeve, Mrs. J. O. Sherer. Twenty-two Torrance members were present.

EVANGELICAL GUILD MEETS

The Central Evangelical Guild meets today for an all-day meeting and election of officers.

Luncheon was served at noon.

WOMEN'S CLUB TO ORGANIZE BIBLE CLASS

A program of unusual interest is being planned for the next meeting of the Women's Club, on Wednesday, April 10th.

The Torrance Women's Club is joining the ranks of the pioneer clubs which are organizing Bible Study Departments, and those interested are asked to meet with Mrs. Robert Young, from 1 to 2 o'clock, before the regular meeting.

Among those contributing to the afternoon's entertainment will be Mrs. Robert McGowan, who will play a piano solo, "Romance," by F. delius. Little Ellen Maskrey, who so ably entertained on Reciprocity Day, will give readings, and Peggy Olson will dance. The Boys' Quartet from the High school will sing.

Mrs. Wade Walker of Long Beach, will give a reading on "An Old Fashioned Home," and Mrs. Thos. Squires, also of Long Beach, will speak on "Making the House a Home." Mrs. Squires is president of the American Home Department in Los Angeles county.

Tea will be served by Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Neelands and Mrs. Collins.

STAR MEMBERS VISIT REDONDO

Among those from the Torrance chapter of the Eastern Star who attended the meeting of the Redondo chapter Tuesday evening were Mrs. May Sidebotham, worthy matron; Mr. J. H. Fess, worthy patron; Mrs. Edith Kasper, conductress; Mrs. Gwendolyn Knudson, marshal, and Mrs. J. H. Fess.

The occasion was the official visit of Jessie K. Beaton, deputy grand matron.

ROTARY ANNS PLAY BRIDGE

Mrs. Norman A. Lenke and Mrs. Rufus Page were co-hostesses to the Rotary Anns Tuesday evening at the Lenke residence on Marcelina avenue.

"Bridge" was the diversion of the evening following a short business session. Honors for high score

were awarded to Mrs. Frank Sammons, and second to Mrs. Don Baxter.

Spring flowers decorated the living room.

MRS. MAXFIELD GIVES BRIDGE LUNCHEON

The Easter motif was used on Tuesday when Mrs. V. L. Maxfield was hostess at her club at a charming bridge luncheon at her home on Engracia avenue.

Present were Mrs. W. H. Stanger, Mrs. Ellis Harder, Mrs. O. E. Fossum, Mrs. L. L. Fordice, Mrs. A. W. Johnson, Mrs. Paul Kasper, Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. John Dennis, Mrs. Gwendolyn Knudson, Mrs. J. H. Fess, Mrs. W. D. West, and the hostess, Mrs. V. L. Maxfield.

Honors for high score were presented to Mrs. O. E. Fossum; second to Mrs. A. W. Johnson and consolation award to Mrs. W. H. Stanger.

MISS GUYAN HOSTESS AT BRIDGE

Miss Mary Guyan, 1807 Andros, entertained with a bridge party Thursday evening April 3. Decorations were in the Easter motif. Delicious refreshments were served.

Honors at bridge were awarded to Louise Ludwig who had high score; and consolation to Martha Lister.

Invited guests were Louise Ludwig, Cicely Ball, Marguerite Gensler, Ruth McMaster, Edith Harshman, Martha Lizer, of Los Angeles, Cassie Hansen and Miss Guyan, the hostess.

QUILT WEDDING UNITES TORRANCE PAIR

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts announce the marriage of their daughter, Maxine E. Roberts, to Mr. William Baker Smith at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 9, at the Methodist parsonage.

Rev. R. A. Young performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families of the young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left immediately for a tour of Old Mexico, and will be at home to their friends at 1814 Cabrillo avenue, after May 1.

Mr. Smith is proprietor of a jewelry store in Torrance.

CLUB WILL HEAR TRAVELOGUE

Mrs. E. K. Harkness, lecturer of note, will be the speaker at the next lecture at the Women's clubhouse on Friday evening, April 12, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Harkness will talk on the little known country, Tibet. The lecturer was a former instructor at the University of Southern California, a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and a successful lecturer for a number of years. Her talk is in the nature of a travelogue and she plans to illustrate it with curios, pictures, etc.

Among these are a churn in which the famous Tibetan butter tea is made; a calling card, which is not a card but a cloth of vegetable fiber; a sprouting grub, half plant and half animal and thought by scientists to exist only in New Zealand.

Besides these there will be many tapestries, models, and interesting articles.

W. B. A. HAS SOCIAL EVENING

Women's Benefit Association held their regular meeting last night, at which time Mrs. Walters of Los Angeles, district deputy, was present.

Following the meeting Mrs. Mable Bath, entertained with piano numbers and Bobby Colehour gave several readings and a song. Refreshments were served.

MORGANS ARE HOSTS TO TORRANCE FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan entertained a group of Torrance friends at their home in Los Angeles last week with an evening of bridge.

Mrs. Tom McGuire and L. B. Kelsey were awarded honors for high score at bridge.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Huber, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rippey, Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Bishop and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan.

PRE-EASTER PARTY

One of the loveliest of pre-Easter parties was given yesterday afternoon when Mrs. R. A. Huber entertained 24 guests at a bridge luncheon at her home on Post avenue.

Violet and green furnished the color motif at the beautifully appointed luncheon tables, with corsages of violets as favors.

Honors for high score were awarded to Mrs. Jack Morgan, second to Mrs. Florence Welch, and consolation to Mrs. C. N. Curtiss. Mrs. George Peckham won the award given for the first grand slam.

WESLEY ROSE HOST AT BRIDGE

Wesley Rose was host to a group of young people Tuesday evening when he entertained at bridge at his home on Anapola avenue.

Honors for high score were awarded to Miss Margaret Gensler and second to Mrs. Reese Lindsay of Wilmington.

Following an evening of cards was dancing, and a late supper served at a table attractively decorated with Easter motifs. Centering the table was a nest filled with Easter eggs and guarded by an imitation rabbit.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Reese Lindsay of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rose, Miss Bessy Blair of St. Louis, a house guest of Mrs. Rose; Miss Ladean Banks, Miss Margaret Gensler, Cecil Belew, and the host, Wesley Rose.

ATTRACTIVE BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. A. P. Stevenson entertained

her bridge club with an attractively appointed bridge luncheon at her home on Post avenue yesterday afternoon.

Spring flowers and Easter time colors were used by the hostess in decorating the luncheon tables.

Mrs. Ellis Harder was awarded honors for high score at bridge and Mrs. George Probert, consolation. Present were Mrs. Scott Ludlow, Mrs. Luther Pierce, Mrs. Marley Haynes, Mrs. Russell Bidge, Mrs. Leta Larsen of Wilmington; Mrs. O. E. Fossum, Mrs. Clara McCormick, Mrs. Ray Leslie, Mrs. L. G. Danford, Mrs. Ellis Harder, Mrs. George Probert, and the hostess, Mrs. A. P. Stevenson.

LAFALOT CLUB

Mrs. J. Lutz was hostess to members of the Lafalot Club on Tuesday evening at her home in Wilmington.

RIVERSIDE GUEST HONORED AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Florence Weller of Riverside, who is the house guest of Mrs. Joe Stone, was the incentive for a delightful affair yesterday when Mrs. Stone entertained with a luncheon in her honor at the Stone residence on Cota avenue.

Orchid and yellow colors were effectively carried out in the table decorations, at which covers were placed for the guest of honor, Mrs. Weller, Mrs. W. J. Morgan of Keystone, Mrs. Joseph Flint of Los Angeles; Mrs. Nettie Steinhilber, Mrs. Luther Hyde, Mrs. Minnie Hannan, Mrs. John Dennis, Mrs. W. W. Woodington, Mrs. George Greaves, Mrs. W. C. Dolley, Mrs. Anna Burmaster, and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Stone.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT O. E. S. MEETING

The choir of the Methodist church will present an hour of music at the meeting of Torrance Chapter, O. E. S., tonight.

The choir will sing four anthems. Mrs. R. A. Young will give "At Dawning." Billy Andrus will give a musical reading, accompanied by Mrs. Ruby J. Antis, pianist. Mrs. A. W. Johnson will be accompanist for the choir and soloists.

BRIDGE COMMENT

By TED FRENGER

VII.

Someone asked me for a description of the location of players in bidding; the dealer is called first hand; the person to his left, the second hand, and so on—just as in Auction. Back to the bidding now, which is everything as first step in Contract. If you declare a minor suit (Clubs or Diamonds) you must be ready to play it in that suit if it is later found to be the best bid in the two hands.

But bid in a close count of your hand—remember that J-10-X-X equals Queen. Q-J-X equals King. K-Q equals Ace. X will always mean a card below a 10 spot).

That ought to help you considerably.

The new Bridge player has come upon the scene at a time of rapid shifting values. The "oldsters"

are demanding that new wine be put in old bottles—can't be done. Explosive results. I have previously warned you that I have no intention here of trying to unfold a true route to the heart of Contract—but rather to indicate what a true route leads to based on experience as the ultimate authority.

Oh! In answer to another remark I overheard—my desire is accuracy, brevity and clearness at present in preference to the accepted literary standards where grace and rhythm are so admired, even when they embellish bunk and junk.

Just as a further light on Ned—his pet aversion is the person who lifts his fingers before dealing—yes, Ned is rather funny, can't you see him? Detests germs. Sure, that's it—he is the husband of Sue—playing North—North for Ned—and you.

P. S.—Have a confession—have been found out. My tables are all a half-trick strong. I wanted it that way for beginners, conservative as it were. But my students are getting wise and calling me. As you progress you can deduct a half trick from the tables I have given you—but it is dynamite for the beginners at Contract!

TED.

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