

News of Society

ROXIE SLEETH, Editor

PUBLIC INVITED TO AFTERNOON CARD PARTY

Stephen A. Phillips Relief Corps will hold a card party Thursday afternoon, Aug. 13, in the hall at 1951 Carson street. Prizes will be awarded for high scores in bridge and 500. Mrs. Emma Evans, chairman for the affair, requests the public to attend.

BAKER SMITHS ON NORTHERN VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Baker Smith, 2826 El Dorado, leave this week on an extended motor trip. They plan to stop for a time at Reno, Nev., and will go from there to Oregon where they will visit with friends.

TOWNSEND CLUB MEETS THIS EVENING

Regular meeting of the Townsend Club will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the elementary school. Everyone welcome to attend.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. HAMMAK

A delightful affair of recent date was the stork shower given at the home of Mrs. J. F. Dolton, 1903 Andreo avenue, in honor of Mrs. Anna Sprout Hammack, of Lomita. Mrs. Dolton's daughter, Mrs. Elsie Euber, acted as co-hostess with her mother. Other guests included Mrs. George K. Ball, of Houston, Tex., who is a guest at the home of Mrs. Hammack, Mesdames Jesse Sprout, Emma Evans, Edith Lesing, Jean Guyan, Gwendolyn Knudsen, Fred Boice, Kate Sidebotham, Jennie Moore, Clemma Watson, Lena Olsen, Rose Wall, Dorothy Post, Janet Woodington, Katherine Klusman and Elizabeth Hough.

SMITHS VACATION IN HIGH SIERRAS

Dr. and Mrs. Alden Smith, 1815 Andreo avenue, returned Wednesday from a vacation trip to the High Sierras.

Enrollment Campaign Planned

Tenth District Will Launch Membership Drive In October

HOUSEHOLD ARTS By MARY BROOKS PICKEN

Candle Holders
There's no need to buy special candle holders to match the color scheme of your table. You can make your own and cover them in crepe paper which comes in every color imaginable. Here's how it's done: Take a small custard cup, place candle in center, and fill wet newspaper crushed together around candle to make it stand up. Then cover cup with crepe paper in the color desired. Paste the side edges, stretch upper edge out to give a petal effect, and tie a bow of crepe or ribbon around candle.

If you want to decorate a plain candle holder, all you need to do is cut an eight-inch width of crepe across the grain, fold through the center and gather on the fold, tying the double ruffle with spool wire around the candle holder. This double ruffle is very effective under the candle.

Crepe Paper for Formal Tables

Darker colors but in vivid rich tones take precedence over pastels in the new table settings. The smart hostess uses crepe paper in these new colors for her semi-formal dinner party. A fold of crepe paper in jade green, duobonnet, or coronation (a lovely deep violet), makes a most attractive center runner when placed over a paper tablecloth. The color scheme is further carried out in candles, their holders beruffled in matching shades of crepe paper, doilies with gathered crepe ruffles, and gaily covered nut cups. Paper plates and cups bordered in the new shades achieve a dignified air in their simplicity of design. You can even buy them with gold or silver borders.

VACATION AT CRESTLINE

Mrs. Orda Peitzke, manager for the Southern California Telephone Company at Torrance, and her daughter, Miss Doris Peitzke, left Saturday to spend two weeks at Crestline.

According to Mrs. H. F. Kinnear, membership chairman for Los Angeles Tenth District California Congress of Parents and Teachers, plans are now under way for the huge enrollment campaign which will be held throughout Tenth District following the schools of instruction which will be held in council territory from Sept. 11 to 23 inclusive, with parent teacher officials and chairmen conducting the schools.

This campaign which begins Oct. 5 to 19 inclusive, is to interest all people in children, thereby linking the home, school and all educative forces in the life of the child by creating better citizens, who shall be strong in body, with alert minds and be physically fit.

They encourage every parent and teacher and all public-spirited citizens to enroll in the parent teachers association in their community when the campaign opens. The P. T. A. is concerned with all problems relating to the welfare of children in home, school and community, interprets the school, its curriculum and policies to the community, gives real service to the home by training for parenthood and homemaking and combines forces with the school in preparing the child to effectively cope with the economical and social changes of the world today. "Enroll for good homes, good schools and good citizenship," will be the slogan.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. KISINGER

Anticipating the coming of the blessed event for Mrs. Charles Kisinger, (Hortense Price), a shower was given at the home of Mrs. Ed Price, 2246 230th street, Tuesday evening. Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames Ed Price, Elsie Napier, and Nellie Price. Pink and white formed the decorative make up with bonnets and bibs for favors. Games furnished diversion after which dainty refreshments were served to 40.

O.E.S. TO CELEBRATE SIXTEENTH BIRTHDAY

The annual birthday dinner of the Torrance chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will be held in the Masonic temple Thursday evening, Aug. 13, at 6:30 o'clock. Mrs. Ivy Herring will be in charge.

At the regular meeting, which will follow the dinner, past matrons and past patrons of the chapter will fill the chairs. District Deputy Della Cotton, with her husband, Logan Cotton, will be special dinner guests.

CLUB PLANS COSTUME BALL

National Business and Professional Women of Torrance met Monday evening at the home of their president, Miss Lute Fraser, and outlined plans for a costume ball, which they plan to hold in the civic auditorium Saturday evening, Oct. 31.

The social meeting of the club will be held Monday evening, Aug. 17, at the home of Mrs. Jesse Bartlett, 1818 Amapola avenue. Committee in charge of this party will be Esther Maxwell, Teala Billini, Addie Montague and Mrs. Bartlett.

SPEND WEEK-END AT BIG BEAR

Roland Blakeman, proprietor of the R B Drug store, with Mrs. Blakeman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Gonz, of Los Angeles, spent the week-end at Big Bear.

New York Fashions By MARY BROOKS PICKEN

With the weight of the depression slowly lifting, a revival of elegance in feminine attire has asserted itself. This new trend is expressing itself particularly in lingerie, and one instance is the revival of the most luxurious of negligees and lounging costumes. All-lace negligees have become tremendously popular, and justifiably so, for they are the epitome of feminine grace, dignity and beauty. All-lace pajamas and night-dresses are popular too, and these are generally very simple in line, depending upon the fineness of the lace for their distinction. Adorable, demure little nightdresses have been created for the debutante, and these are becoming the rage of young things who have been brought up during the age of attempted masculinity, and who have at last rebelled.

Luxurious Garments

More luxurious even than the all-lace underthings are the dainty garments that are lace-trimmed in new ways, and that have all the line and style qualities that are part of the general feminine vogue in silhouette. One charming nightdress seen recently was of flesh colored satin, and had a deep yoke of hand-run Hencon lace, with four tiny pearl buttons fastening the lace yoke at front. In the front of the lower edge the same lace ran quite deep, and was graduated to a narrower lace edge at the back. Another graceful and beautifully fitting nightdress was of peach crepe for the main part, with chiffon for the bodice and for the three-inch ruffle at the lower edge placed right over the crepe. The lace trimming in this gown was exquisitely placed, with a two-inch insertion around the rather high round neck, and then vertically at each side of the bodice, and again around the waist.

Dainty and Alluring

This new feminine trend is also bringing in its wake new and more elaborate slips and combinations. The latter are especially in demand for the tailored suits that were so good in the spring and promise to be even more prominent in the coming fall. They are dainty and alluring to please the most feminine heart, with lace trimming and insertions and applied motifs that lend greater importance than ever before to the smart woman's lingerie wardrobe.

Beautiful lingerie is the dearest possession of feminine apparel. Why else then the thought and care which every girl gives to the choosing of her lingerie trousseau? No matter what the vogue calls for in tailored or feminine clothes, she can still indulge all of her love and fancy for delicate, lacy apparel in the things she wears closest to her, and in her own leisure hours at home.

COMPETITIVE ART EXHIBIT

Artists are invited to submit their work for a competitive exhibition of contemporary art and poetry to be held at the Hollywood Riviera galleries, from Sept. 20 to Dec. 6. The exhibition will include murals, oil paintings, miniatures, water colors, pastels, sculpture, ceramics, black and white prints, wood carving, poetry, essays and other classes.

A jury of artists will select first, second and third choices and two honorable mentions in each class.

Activities of Women

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Calendar

FRIDAY, AUG. 7
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 218.
8:00 p.m.—Loyal Order of Moose.
8:00 p.m.—Masons.

SUNDAY, AUG. 9
Services in all the churches.

MONDAY, AUG. 10
6:15 p.m.—Kiwanis at American Legion hall.
7:30 p.m.—Senior Scout Troop No. 216.
7:30 p.m.—20-30. Club meets at 1951 Carson street.

TUESDAY, AUG. 11
7:45 p.m.—City Council.
7:45 p.m.—Royal Neighbors.
8:00 p.m.—Odd Fellows.
8:00 p.m.—American Legion.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 12
2:00 p.m.—St. Cecilia Guild.
7:45 p.m.—Rebekahs.
8:00 p.m.—A. O. U. W.
8:00 p.m.—V. F. W. at Lomita hall.

THURSDAY, AUG. 13
6:15 p.m.—Rotary at American Legion hall.
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 217.
7:30 p.m.—O. E. S.
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.
8:00 p.m.—Modern Woodmen.

VACATION IN YOSEMITE

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Golden and son Bobby, 1021 Cravens avenue, with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tracy, of Gardena, left Tuesday to spend two weeks at Yosemite National park.

GUEST AT SCHROEDERS

Mrs. Mary Hinds, of Everett, Wash., is a guest this week at the home of her friend, Mrs. Mary Schroeder, 1018 Arlington avenue. Week-end guests at the Schroeder home were Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers and son Billy, of Hollywood.

Two Ballets At Hollywood Bowl

Otto Klemperer, distinguished musical director to the Philharmonic orchestra; Jascha Heifetz, world's most famous violinist, and Adolph Bolm, most renowned ballet producer, will be the stars of Hollywood Bowl's sixth week of symphonies under the stars which starts Tuesday, Aug. 11.

Mr. Bolm will offer two ballets Thursday night—the final ballets of the season. The dance program will include an enchanting ballet danced to the music of Bach's fugue in G minor and the fascinating "Scheherazade" suite of Rimsky-Korsakoff. In the past few years Mr. Bolm has produced all ballets for the San Francisco Civic Opera Company.

PEGGY VACATIONS IN INGLEWOOD

Miss Peggy Shawger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shawger, 2204 Andreo avenue, is a house guest this week at the home of her little friend, Audrey Ryland, in Inglewood.

ART TEACHER IN MEXICO CITY

Miss Ada Chase, art teacher at Torrance high school, left Sunday evening for Mexico City where she will spend a month visiting the interesting places in and about the Mexican metropolis.

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Catalina Favorite Vacation Spot

Lured to Catalina Island for brief vacation trips were a number of Torrance folks. Listed among these were Miss Corlita Reeve, with her sister, Mrs. Charles Vonderahe, and children, of Brawley, and Mrs. Elsie Euber, of Vancouver, spent the past week there. Mr. Vonderahe went over to be with the group over the week-end.

Messrs. and Mesdames Harvel Gittenfelder, Guy Kelley, Fred Quaglin, Hugh Barnes and Harry Jacobs held a week-end party at the island.

Leaving Saturday morning the Misses Shirley Johnson, Mary Frances Foster, of Colorado, who is Miss Johnson's guest, Helen Smith, Mary Jane Smith, Marie Fredricks, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. George Smith will spend a brief vacation on the island.

RETURN FROM NIAGARA FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Guy K. Claire, 1403 Acacia avenue, returned Sunday evening from a trip to Niagara Falls. The couple went east on the train and purchased a new car to make the return trip.

GUESTS AT JUMPER HOME

Miss Hazel Jumper and Fred McBane, of San Bernardino, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jumper, 1229 Madrid avenue.

YOUNGS HOSTS AT EVENING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young, 1691 Gramercy avenue, entertained with a party in their home Thursday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Forest Young and family, of Los Angeles, who recently returned from an eastern vacation. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keefer and son Bill, of Torrance, Mrs. Jean Prantz and Miss Laura Jean Prantz, of Westwood.

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