

Amaranth Court No. 61 Elects New Officers

Mrs. Ada A. Andersen Monday night at the annual election of officers of the Amaranth Court No. 61, Order of the Amaranth, was elected royal matron and William H. Sykes of Torrance royal patron to succeed Mrs. Jewell Frederick and John Glen Wilson. Installation ceremonies will be held April 24 in the V.F.W. Hall.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Hallie Lee Parbois, associate matron; Perry C. Lingren, associate patron; Mrs. Phoebe Sykes, conductress; Mrs. Ada Turknett, associate conductress; Mrs. Anna M. Long, secretary; Miss Birda Paddock, treasurer; and Mrs. Alvine Ulman, trustee for three years. Mrs. Madeleine Powers and Mrs. Helen Wilson are holdover trustees and appointive offices will be filled by Mrs. Andersen.

Mrs. Emily Hickman of Redondo Court, appointed assistant grand lecturer for the Amaranth Court, John Wilson, grand warden, and Charles Walton, grand commissary, were escorted and given grand honors.

Preceding the meeting of the court held a potluck dinner, at which Mrs. Ethel Waite, royal matron of 1942, was surprised to find herself honor guest. She was presented a gift from her former officers, Mrs. Frederick making the presentation.

Initiation will be held on April 10 and at the same meeting Mrs. Hickman will conduct a practice for installation.

The past royal matrons and patrons club will meet tonight with Mrs. Alvine Ulman at her home, 26139 Narbonne ave.

Union Dues Now Deducted from City Pay Checks

City employees have no social security or unemployment insurance deductions from their pay checks each month, but they will now become accustomed to deductions of their dues to local No. 166 of the State, County and Municipal Union, an affiliate of the C.I.O.

Adoption of the "check off" system has been adopted by unanimous action of the Torrance city council following representations by a union representative, which was concurred in by membership in the local.

Torrance Woman Hurt In Auto Collision

Virginia Moreno of 712 Amalpa ave., Torrance, and Mrs. Susie Crump and Mrs. Josephine Megrete were injured in a collision of automobiles in Gardena at 12:30 a.m. Monday.

The accident in which they became involved occurred at Western and Market sts. One of the cars was driven by William E. Crump, 1419 Wadkins ave., the other by Ben Megrete, 16780 Dalton ave., Gardena.

The three women were given hospital care, but their injuries were reported as not serious.

Portable Homes For War Workers Under Contract

Five hundred portable homes, both emergency and post-war housing projects as dwellings for war workers, will be built in the near future on either a site near Bixby Slough in the Figueroa st.-Pacific Coast highway area or near Banning High school, according to the Los Angeles Housing Authority.

W. W. Collins, National Housing Administration assistant regional director at Los Angeles, said contracts for the portable homes had been awarded to three firms.

A. E. Hansen, real estate developer, revealed that \$300,000 will be spent for 25 dwellings in near-by Rolling Hills under present plans for post-war homes. Twenty-five parcels have been purchased by future builders, who will spend an average of \$12,000 for each dwelling, he said.

Draftees Sent Out To Take Physicals

Approximately 100 draftees were dispatched in three buses early last Friday morning for Fort MacArthur for their pre-induction physicals. Before leaving the men were served with coffee and doughnuts. These were furnished by relatives of the draftees, under direction of Mrs. Lola Hoover, head of the local branch of the American Red Cross, at the Torrance Civic Auditorium, where the group had assembled.

Date of induction of those who passed the physicals has not been announced, but is expected to occur early in April.

STORKatorials

Births reported in families in this area during the past week: Cottage Maternity Hospital: Mr. and Mrs. Earnest R. Padron, Torrance, boy, March 20. Torrance Memorial Hospital: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wicker, 1633 Acacia ave., Torrance, boy, March 24. Mr. and Mrs. Arden Clemison, 1021 Craven ave., Torrance, boy, March 26. Mr. and Mrs. John Pennington, 804 Portola ave., Torrance, girl, March 27. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Northington, 1637 Cota ave., Torrance, boy, March 29.

Thomas A. Fitzgerald Awarded Air Medal

Thomas A. Fitzgerald, a second lieutenant serving as a bombardier, with an Eighth A.A.F. bomber station "somewhere in England," has been awarded the Air Medal. A son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Fitzgerald of 2103 235th st., he received his bombardier wings and commission in July, 1943. His citation read: "For exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in five separate bomber combat missions over enemy occupied continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by Lt. Fitzgerald on these occasions reflects great credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States."

Fitzgerald, 21, was graduated from Narbonne High school, and formerly worked at Calship.

GATEWAY COUNCIL ELECTS

Gateway Council will hold its election of officers Monday, April 3, at 10 a.m., in Dana Junior High school, San Pedro. Hostess will be Mrs. Charles Robertson, with Mrs. R. Thompson presiding. Mrs. E. Raithe of the Tenth District executive board will conduct the elections.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY NOTED AT SUPPER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil E. Deems of 1804 Andree ave. celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary Sunday evening when they entertained at their home. At the buffet supper table, gay with tapers and potted ivy, red roses were the centerpiece. During the sup-

per Mr. and Mrs. Deems were surprised by receiving a long-distance call from their son, Private 1-c Harold Deems, stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis. Among those who called during the week to offer congratulations were Messrs. and Mrs. Fred Lydy, Angelo Vergona, Robert Allen, Oscar

Deems, Misses. Cara Hudson, Mildred Bower, Hazel Frauhiger and James P. Shaw.

PREINDUCTION CALL
The next preinduction call of Selective Service Board 280 has been set for April 18, according to advices given out at the local office.

Reward for Information DEAD OR ALIVE On My Pet Dog "BOGGIE"

Missing from 1675 Gramercy avenue, Torrance, on Thursday, March 16th. Has four white legs and chest, with stone black back. Has broken front paw at joint. Likes to ride in cars. About nine years of age. Loving family pet. No collar or license at time of disappearance. If you have seen or know the whereabouts of this terrier, please phone Mrs. H. Morrison at Torrance 200 till 6 p. m., or call at home, 1675 Gramercy, Torrance. Reward.

... to insure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our posterity.

PAUL SLONECKER

Licensed to Wed

Marriage licenses issued recently of interest in this area were reported as follows: Louis M. Torino, 26, USCG, San Pedro; Alta May L. Myers, 21, Torrance.

Hospital Cases

Patients entered in the Torrance Memorial Hospital from this area this week included: Mrs. Bernice Osborn, 1421 1/2 Madrid ave., Torrance. Mrs. Melissa Perkins, 2342 245th st., Lomita. Harold Ray, Eureka Hotel, Torrance. Miss Jane White, 2205 1/2 Torrance blvd., Torrance. Mrs. Barbara Jane Waters, 21697 Monica ave., Torrance. Mrs. Eileen Adams, 2303 Andree ave., Torrance. George Berger, 1430 W. 220th st., Torrance. Robert and Elden Douglas, 22320 Normandie ave.

New Discount Drug Windows Follow Modern Practice

Roy Laughlin and "Doc" Kingle have received many favorable comments this week on the remodeling of the windows of the Discount Drug.

The improvement has been made to allow the store to follow modern drug store window display practice. It has proven to be practical as well as add to the attractiveness of the store itself.

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Challenge BUTTER lb. 52c
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Hills Bros.—Red Can Brand COFFEE lb. 33c
In Glass Jars

WALDORF TOILET PAPER 5c

SWAN SOAP
Medium Cake 6c Large Cake 10c

LUX TOILET SOAP 7c

New, Soapy, Rich RINSO
Large Package 23c

H-O OATS
Large Size 25c Small Size 13c

SWANSDOWN FLOUR 10 lbs. 59c
DEL MONTE—No Points BEANS 1 lb. 18c
YACHT CLUB—7 Points TOMATOES 2 1/2 can 19c
GAINES—(5 lbs.—55c) DOG FOOD 2 lbs. 20c
DAINTY MIX FRUIT COCKTAIL 1 lb. 18c
OCEAN SPRAY—6 Points JELLIED CRANBERRY SAUCE 21c
DEL MONTE—8 Points DE LUXE PLUMS 15c
WELCH'S—4 Points GRAPELAD 1 lb. 22c
YACHT CLUB GRATED—5 Points TUNA 7-oz. 32c
LADY'S CHOICE MAYONNAISE 1 pint 29c
MITY-NICE—1 Point VIENNA SAUSAGES can 12c
HORMEL'S—4 Points SPAM 12-oz. 39c
DESERT SWEET—1 Point GRAPEFRUIT JUICE No. 2 14c
FOR SLUGS AND SNAILS BUGGETTA 1 lb. 24c
2-PIECE MASON JAR CAPS AND LIDS 1 doz. 24c
OHIO BLUE TIP MATCHES box 5c

MEAT DEPT
Eastern Sliced **BACON**
1 POINT lb. 39c

FRESH GROUND—6 Points BEEF lb. 29c

SMOKED PORK—2 Points SAUSAGE lb. 39c

XLNT—No Points TAMALES 2 for 23c

LEAN, MEATY—4 Points SHORT RIBS lb. 19c

COUNTRY STYLE PORK—2 Points SAUSAGE lb. 33c

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