



MRS. ALBERT EWALT

NAMED TO ASSIST WITH 1949 CHEST CAMPAIGN

Working on the 1949 Community Chest campaign seems to have become a family affair in the Albert Ewalt home. According to B. T. Whitney, and Albert Ewalt, co-chairmen of the Small Business and Residential Unit of the campaign organization, Mrs. Ewalt has been appointed vice-chairman in charge of residential solicitation. Mrs. James H. Burchett is vice-chairman directing solicitation of small businesses in Torrance.

Both of these women are long time residents of Torrance and are well known for their many civic activities here. Mrs. Burchett is musician and sunshine chairman of Torrance Woman's Club, musician and executive board member of American Legion Auxiliary of Post 170. She has been an active Community Chest volunteer "for at least six years. I can't remember exactly how many," she says.

She has three grown children, two daughters, and a son in the Navy who is a former Boy Scout. "So we have been a Red Feather family for a long time," she commented as she pointed out that Boy Scouting is one of the Red Feather services that Community Chest contributors in Torrance help make possible.

Asked about the secret to the excellent job she has done in previous campaigns, Mrs. Burchett says, "I think it is very important to take time to get acquainted with the person you are approaching, to answer his questions, and to call on him when he has time to talk with you. In some cases this may mean it will be necessary to call back later."

Mrs. Ewalt is treasurer of Torrance Woman's Club, past president of the Lioness Club, and of the Torrance Terrace Garden Club of which she is now publicity chairman. She is also an Eastern Star, but has not been active since she has lived in Torrance. She comes from St. Louis, Missouri, but says she feels almost like a native because she has lived in California for 22 years.

She has no children, and now that she is no longer occupied with a full time job in the business world, she is devoting her spare time to civic projects such as the Community Chest campaign. As residential chairman she is contacting clubs and organizations for help in recruiting enough volunteers to insure complete coverage of every home in Torrance during the October campaign. The PTA's are giving her marvelous cooperation, she reports.

One of the Community Chest services in which she is particularly interested is Children's Hospital in Los Angeles, where 22 Torrance youngsters received a total of 471 days of hospital care last year. "And just realize," she pointed out, "that half of the total cost of that care for our Torrance children, about \$4,000, was met by Community Chest funds. That is reason enough for me to work on the annual campaign," she declared.

VACATION ENDS
Bernard Berkowitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berkowitz, 1629 Crenshaw boulevard, returned Monday from New York City where he has been visiting with relatives and friends since early in July.

WEDDING GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ewalt attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Dorothy Kathleen Ewalt, who became Mrs. Michael Louis Markel at services in Hollywood Wedding Chapel.

Phoenix Ceremony Revealed

Announcement was made this week of the wedding of Shirley Lesser Reiter of 1834 W 247th street and Dean S. Clark of Phoenix, Arizona which took place on August 26.

Vows were exchanged with Judge A. Flood officiating in his chambers in Phoenix with the new Mrs. Clark wearing a full-length white gown complemented with a corsage of orchids.

Attending the couple were Miss Audrey Kosha and Gene Kelly Day.

Following the ceremony the newlyweds left for a wedding trip to Grand Canyon. They are now at home at 1844 W. 247th street, Lomita.

Delphians Open Year On Friday

Sigma Rho Chapter of Delphian Societies Friday morning opened its fall season with an interesting session in Torrance library lecture room.

Topic for discussion was "Man's Place in the Living World." The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Don H. Hyde, and Mrs. Dean L. Sears served as seminar leader. Topics were presented by Mesdames Segars, Hyde, and Von Bergen.

Next meeting, scheduled for Friday, Sept. 16, will have as leader Mrs. B. T. Whitney, and speakers are to be Misses Harry Burkholder, H. E. Carr, Burney Morris, and Fred A. Lincoln.

Activities Interest Auxiliary

Influenced with the spirit of cooperation members of the American Legion Auxiliary, Lomita Post No. 645, have been busy for the past few weeks with program activities within the scope of the American Legion work and assisting with the Gaucho Days held last week.

A booth where ice cream, candy, gum and cigarettes were sold during the Gaucho Days celebration was presided over by the following Auxiliary members: Helen Kunath, chairman; Virginia Basile, Grace Hammel, Virginia Jean Manning, Martha Madson, Jean Henderson, Martha Maxwell, Carri Van Orman, Jane Horton, Ellis McCay, Lulu Kincaannon, Millicent Rider, Virginia Haslam and Doris Whitmer.

Jane Horton, Millicent Rider, and Estelle Stambaugh motored to Sawtelle Veterans' Hospital recently to assist as hostesses at the Brentwood Snack Bar, a philanthropic project of the Auxiliary.

Miss Johnson Feted With Bridal Shower

Center of interest at the recent bridal shower honoring Miss Dorothy Johnson was the tiny bride and groom which graced the mantel in the home of the hostess, Mrs. Harold Johnson, 25120 Eshelman avenue. Colorful dahlias and late summer daisies complemented the attractive table appointments.

Presenting lovely gifts to the bride-elect were Mrs. Arthur Carlson (mother of the honoree), Mrs. Pete DePry (mother of the prospective bridegroom) and his sisters Mrs. Arthur Maloon, and Mrs. Robert Henderick, Mrs. Stanley Rosencrantz, and Miss Betty Gordon (honoree's sisters); Misses Merel Johnson, Milton West, Fred Hanson, Walker, Mae Pouncey, Cecil Cribbs, Warren LoBaugh, Minnie Little, John Anderson and the hostess. The future Mrs. DePry is Mr. Johnson's sister.

PTA Council President Entertains

Twenty-eight officers and chairmen of the Torrance Council Parents and Teachers Association, enjoyed a get-acquainted luncheon and business meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. A. C. Turner, 1008 Acacia avenue.

Next regular meeting of the executive board will be held Tuesday, September 13 at Walter Recreation Center.

FLOWER POT PAINTING
When painting a flower-pot, turn it upside down over a tin can. Turn the can as you paint.

LONG STROKES
When ironing cottons and linens, use long sweeping strokes. This gives better results.

Women's Activities



MRS. CHARLES M. IVY

Presbyterian Church Rites Unite Local Couple Friday

Lomita Presbyterian Church was the setting for the wedding rites which Friday evening united Miss Lola Jane Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ball of 2404 W. 248th street and Charles M. Ivy, son of Mrs. L. Ivy of 2317 W. 248th street.

Tall lighted tapers in the church chancel shed their glow on large baskets of chrysanthemums.

Rev. John E. Orr, former pastor of the church, read the marriage lines in the presence of more than 100 friends of the couple.

The bride approached the altar on the arm of her father. She was attired in a wedding gown of white satin with an overskirt of white lace. Her full-length veil was held by a coronet and she carried a bouquet of white gardenias.

Miss Lenora LeFever who attended the bride as maid of honor, chose a gown of yellow organdy with a fitted bodice of lace and she carried white carnations.

Best man was Duell Mills and ushers were Gladys Ball, brother of the bride and Ross Mays.

Mrs. James Willacy accompanied Mrs. Paul Dwight of San Pedro when she sang two solos before the ceremony.

A reception for the bridal party was held in the church hall with Miss Mary Clark and Miss Alberta Katus acting as hostesses and Miss Barbara Chandler presiding over the guest book.

A large decorated cake was cut and served with punch.

Following a honeymoon to Yellowstone National Park, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy will return to Lomita to establish residence.

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School while her husband received his education in Arkansas.

Woman's Club Plans Garden Fete On 21st

Torrance Woman's Club will sponsor an informal picnic party at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 21. The benefit affair will be held in the garden of Mrs. C. P. Olson's home at 2118 Arlington avenue and guests may be invited.

Luncheon tickets will be 75 cents each, and an additional charge of 25 cents will be made for bridge or pinocle tables.

Proceeds from the party will be donated to a Cancer Prevention Society benefit fund.

Interested persons are asked to call Mrs. B. C. Buxton, Torrance 274, not later than September 14.

MRS. W. I. LAUGHON IS LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Complimenting her executive board and active committee chairmen, who, she feels, contributed materially to the outstanding success of her administration, Mrs. W. I. Laughon immediately past president of Torrance Woman's Club, Wednesday afternoon entertained at luncheon for 30 in her spacious new home in Hollywood Riviera.

Beautiful ceramic vases, at each place setting, gifts to the members of her executive board,

held hybrid pink asters, which created a most decorative note for the luncheon table in the dining room of Mrs. Laughon's beautiful home.

Peruvian lilies decorated the table where committee members were seated in the attractive patio.

After luncheon and the presentation of the ceramic gifts, the ladies were entertained at bridge and canasta with non-card players occupying themselves with their knitting.

BRIDAL ATTENDANTS NAMED BY MISS ROSE

Miss Marlou Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Barcroft Brown, 2404 Gramercy avenue, has listed the attendants for her wedding Sunday evening to Mr. William Sullivan Stogsdill, of San Francisco and Alhambra.

Miss Fay Welty, of Salem, Oregon, a Pepperdine College classmate of the bride-elect, will be maid of honor and completing the bridal party will be the Misses Nancy Stogsdill, of Alhambra, sister of the bridegroom; and Diane Licht, of Tor-

rance, bridesmaids. Misses Frances Gardner, of Long Beach and Mary Tibbets, of Harbor City will be candlelighters and flower girl will be little Shelley Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baldwin of Torrance. Ring bearer is to be Leslie (Buzzy) Holmby, a cousin of the bride.

Robert Miller of Burbank will attend the bridegroom as best man and ushers include Charles Bray of Inglewood and L. E. Pickett, Wilmington.

George Briggs of Manhattan Beach, a student at Pepperdine College, will be soloist.

CHICAGO VACATION

Mrs. Leonard Young, and son Thomas Robert, of 2321 Eldorado avenue, returned Thursday from two weeks vacation in Chicago, where she visited her mother, Mrs. Thomas Lang.

EWALTS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ewalt have been entertaining as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ewalt and sons Richard and Michael of Galesburg, Ill.

Lomita Bride Recites Vows

Miss Geniel Esther Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edison Anderson of Lomita became the bride of Howard Homer Holder of San Pedro in the home of Virgil Sponberg, president of the Long Beach stake, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Mr. Holder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Holder of San Pedro.

Close friends and parents of the couple were present.

An evening reception in the San Pedro ward, LDS church, at 811 Eleventh street, honored the pair. A tiered wedding cake was flower-laden and topped with miniature figurines. Dancing followed.

The bride was attired in a pale green suit with white accessories, and her corsage was of yellow tuff carnations.

Owen W. Stout, guest soloist and friend of the couple, sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because." Mrs. Stout, the former Colleen Engh, accompanied her husband. She played two organ selections, "I Love Thee" and "If You Were The Only Girl in the World."

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School, S'49. Her husband, a graduate of Burlington High School, North Carolina, served two years overseas with the Naval Air Forces. He also trained at Burlington flying service, and holds a solo flying license. He is employed by a construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. McDonald, 1626 Beech avenue, entertained as their house guest recently Charles Claussen of Wiltiston, N.D.

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