

# The Social World

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WILL BE FEBRUARY BRIDE . . . Miss Barbara Ellen Delsigne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Florand Delsigne, 807 Amapola Ave., will exchange wedding vows with Allan Elois De Lapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeLapp of Hawthorne, at Feb. 28 ceremonies. The bride-to-be, a graduate of Torrance High School, is now employed at Midland Rubber Co. Her fiancé, a motor machinist first class, USN, is now stationed at Long Beach.

## Mothers Plan Summer Trip For 'Jobie's'

Ideas to raise money for a Job's Daughters camping trip next summer will occupy the Mothers' Club of Bethel No. 60 next Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, when the group holds an 8 o'clock meeting at the home of Mrs. D. E. Rice, 1729 Manuel Ave.

Mrs. George Crabtree, newly installed president, will conduct the business session.

The new leader took office formally at the club's December meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Smith Campbell, 2078 Santa Fe Ave.

Installed to assist Mrs. Crabtree were Mesdames Ralph Allen, vice-president, John Wright, recording secretary, Sam Van Wagner, corresponding secretary, and McNeese, treasurer. Mrs. Don Wolf was the installing officer.

At the close of the meeting, the group enjoyed an exchange of Christmas gifts and refreshments served by Mesdames Campbell and Mavis Cook.

## 'Day At School' To Theme City Elementary PTA Meet

Choosing the theme, "Families Go To School," or "A Day at Torrance Elementary School," the PTA has set Thursday, Jan. 15, for its first general meeting of the new year.

School Principal Robert Morton will be master of ceremonies for the hour-long program, in which students at each grade level will participate. A special feature will be the display of children's art work and the showing of hobby groups.

"Primary grade children who leave school at 2:10 p.m. will be on the program at 1:30 p.m., so please, parents, do come early," said Mr. Morton.

Following the program, Mrs. Hartley Carr, president, will conduct a brief business meeting, calling for the election of a nominating committee. Refreshments will be served by fourth grade room mothers. Table decor will spotlight Torrance Elementary School in replica.

During the program, a nursery will be provided for the younger children.

At last Wednesday's board meeting, held at the 1504 Post Ave. home of Mrs. M. A. Bauman, two new chairmen were ratified. They were Mesdames Charles Mullen, parliamentarian, and Kenneth Ruffel, life membership chairman. The group also selected Mrs. Bauman as chairman of the coming "March of Mothers on Collie," to be held Feb. 5.

Other plans of the PTA include a paper drive slated for the latter part of February.

## Neighbors Plan Installation Next Tuesday

Officers-elect of the Royal Neighbors and others on the installation committee will complete plans and practice for the rites next Tuesday evening, Jan. 13, at a 7 o'clock meeting in the Woman's Clubhouse, 1422 E. Ingracia Ave.

Installation ceremonies will be held Jan. 20 at the clubhouse, Mrs. Sam Shepherd, newly elected orator, revealed.

Royal Neighbors Sewing Circle will elect officers Tuesday, Jan. 13, at a noon potluck luncheon meeting, also to be held at the clubhouse, Mrs. Shepherd said.

## Woman's Club To Hold Annual Birthday Fete

Keystone Woman's Club will hold its annual birthday dinner next Wednesday, Jan. 14, at 12 noon. Members desiring to attend the affair may make reservations by calling MELO 4-4548, Mrs. J. H. Parker, publicity chairman, announced.

Board members will lay plans for 1953 activities at a short session preceding the dinner.

## SON VISITS M. PULLMAN

Surprise was on the threshold last Monday morning when Mrs. Margaret Pullman opened the door of her 1225 Coia Ave. home.

The "surprise" was her son, Dick Pullman, who came from his present residence in Burley, Idaho, to spend 10 days renewing acquaintances in his hometown.

But instead of reminiscing about old times, he'll be busy giving his many friends here the latest news on the newest addition to the Pullman family, his first child, De De, who was born Oct. 22.

Mrs. Pullman will get her first view of the new arrival, her first granddaughter, next summer, when she makes her annual trip to Burley, for bad weather conditions prevented mother and baby from accompanying father on his trip to Torrance.

## Mrs. John Melville Elected Hospital Auxiliary Prexy

Mrs. John Melville, newly-elected president of the Hospital Auxiliary, will preside at her first executive board meeting next Thursday evening, Jan. 15. Highlight of the session, to begin at 8 o'clock at her home, 1512 El Prado,

will be a completion of plans for the Valentine Ball, to be held Feb. 14 at the Hollywood-Riveria Clubhouse.

Mrs. Melville and other officers were elected last Tuesday afternoon at a luncheon meeting held at the Fish Shanty in WALTERIA.

Assisting her will be Mesdames John Beeman, first vice-president; Frederick Evans, second vice-president; Kirk White, third vice-president; Gerald Eastham, recording secretary; George Anderson, corresponding secretary; Howard Wood, treasurer; and Esther Maxwell and Henry Upholt, directors.



MRS. JOHN MELVILLE . . . To Lead Auxiliary

## Sandra Grub Wears Ring

The third finger, left hand, of Miss Sandra Yvonne Grub now sparkles with the diamond ring of Charles Hayden Bingham.

Troth of the young couple was revealed this week by the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grub, 1621 Acacia Ave. A wedding date has not yet been set, they said.

Both Miss Grub and her fiancé are active in student affairs at Torrance High School.

Now in her junior year there, Miss Grub is a member of Tri HI Y and Tartar Ladies and also is affiliated with Job's Daughters.

The benedict, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bingham, 2423 Del Amo Blvd., will graduate from the high school next June. He is now president of the HI Y and Inter-Club Council and is a member of the Varsity Club.

## Foreign Exchange Students To Tell Torrance High PTA Of Schools in Their Lands

Foreign exchange students from Iran, Nigeria, West Africa, and Japan will compare school life in their countries and here next Tuesday evening, Jan. 13, at the monthly meeting of Torrance High School PTA, to begin at 8 o'clock in the school library.

The three students, now enrolled at Pepperdine College, are Irij Sakhrieh of Iran, Enechuku Anako of Nigeria, West Africa, and Yoko Gabe of Japan. The discussion will be directed by William Stivers, of the Department of Languages at Pepperdine College.

International flavor of the program will continue with a Spanish dance, to be presented



TO LIVE IN SAN FRANCISCO . . . Anticipating a home in San Francisco are the new Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd Reed, shown here as they cut the first piece of a four-tiered wedding cake at a reception following exchange of marriage vows last Saturday. Reed and his bride, the former Audrey Marie Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Prior Hunt, 4633 Milne Ct., now are honeymooning at Lake Tahoe.

## Juniors Plan Service Work Wednesday

Plans for '53 philanthropic projects will headline next Wednesday night's meeting of the Junior Women's Club, to be held at 8 o'clock at the Woman's Clubhouse, 1422 E. Ingracia Ave.

Also included on the agenda for the early days of the new year, said Mrs. Howard Percy, publicity chairman, is an initiation of new members, slated for Jan. 28. At present the club is considering five applicants for membership, she said.

Arrangements for Wednesday's meeting were made at an executive board session held last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Joseph Helphand, 2109 Middlebrook Rd.

December's project of addressing envelopes for the present March of Dimes drive now has been completed, Mrs. Percy said. Juniors, under the leadership of Mrs. Lloyd Jones, spearheaded the project, in which six other local organizations participated.

## HARBOR PTA TO HEAR JUVENILE OFFICER TELL OF FAMILY STRENGTH

A worker from the Los Angeles City Police Juvenile Department will tell Harbor City PTA members that "The Fabric of the Family Needs Strengthening," at the next association meeting, to be held next Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Plans for the meeting were made at last Wednesday's executive board session, held in the school cafeteria.

Other activities planned for the January-February agenda will include a visit by A-6 pupils to Narbonne High School Jan. 21; an A-8 dinner, with Mrs. George Weeks in charge of arrangements, on Jan. 28; a paper drive to be held the last week in January, with Mrs. D. G. Cheek as chairman; and the visit of a dentist to the school on Feb. 4 and 5.

The dentist will stress the dental hygiene program and also will make a check and give recommendations to parents about the condition of the children's teeth. Winston Scott, principal, revealed.

Harbor City PTA members will be in the spotlight on Feb. 3 as they take over hostess duties for the Lomita-San Pedro Council Founders' Day meeting to begin at 9:45 a.m. in the school auditorium.

Mesdames O. C. Grubbs, Marvin Scott, and Richard Rozendal, chairmen for the event, announced that the newly-organized string ensemble from the school will entertain with several numbers.

A special feature of the day will be the awarding of life membership to an eligible candidate. Mesdames I. D. Bourland, James Alexander, Richard Seden, James Trifon, and Principal Scott will select the candidate.

A new health chairman, Mrs. Grubbs, was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Alvin Berry, who resigned because of ill health.

## Tau Delta Omegas To Aid March of Dimes Campaign

Carrying the Christmas spirit of giving over into the New Year are Tau Delta Omega Sorority members, who are donating a portion of their charity fund to the present March of Dimes drive.

Donation was voted at last Monday night's meeting of the group, held at the Reynosa Dr. home of Mrs. Earlene Walker.

Following the meeting, members played pinocle, with prizes for high scores going to Mesdames Frank Sande and Floyd De Vore.

The sorority rounded out the Old Year in traditional fashion with two dinner parties held in the latter part of December.

The first affair was a farewell dinner at Vivian Laird's in Long Beach, Occasion was a

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## Audrey Hunt Reed, Groom Honeymoon at Lake Tahoe

Now honeymooning at Lake Tahoe are the new Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd Reed, nee Audrey Marie Hunt, who, exchanged vows last Saturday evening at ceremonies in the First Baptist Church of Redondo Beach.

The former Miss Hunt and her new husband were given a royal send-off by some 300 guests at a gathering in the church reception hall following the 8 o'clock rites. When they return from their wedding trip, they will make their home in San Francisco.

The bride wore a white slipper satin gown fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and carried white orchids with cascades of white carnations and roses. Her finger-tip veil, which matched a train of Renaissance lace, was held in place by a crown of seed pearls.

Iridescent taffeta in coral and green formed the color scheme for the bridal entourage.

Miss Dorothy Markham, maid of honor, accented her coral gown with a cascade bouquet of Talsman roses. Bouffant skirts of white eyelet contrasted with green in gowns worn by the bridesmaids, Misses Mary Joan Hutchings, Gene Larson and Shirley Brummett. They carried bouquets of yellow roses.

Charlene Cookus, gowned in coral, also attended the bride as flower girl. George Paul Hunt and Ronald L. Reed served as ring bearer and best man, respectively.

While James B. Burr, James Brigando and Don L. Henry ushered guests into pews, Mrs. J. Byrnes, organist, played "Ave Maria," and "Liebestraum." Other pre-ceremonial music was provided by William Dodge, singing "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer." He was accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Byrnes.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Prior Hunt, 4633 Milne Ct., is a graduate of Redondo Union High School. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Reed of Sacramento, was graduated from C. K. McClatchy High School.

## FIRELADIES MAY START MOBILE CANTEN HERE

As its first project for 1953, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Torrance Fire Department is considering the establishment of a mobile canteen to supply firemen fighting all-night blazes with food, coffee and dry clothing.

The canteen, if set up, also would work closely with the local civil defense program in the event of any emergency or disaster.

The group will decide on the proposal, made by Asst. Director of Civil Defense George Powell at last Monday's meeting, at next month's meeting, to be held Feb. 2, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. James Wass, 3253 Winlock Dr.

Plans to sponsor a rummage sale early next summer also were discussed at the Monday meeting, held at the Andrea Ave. home of Mrs. Bob Lucas. Mesdames Don Minor and Charles Robertson shared hostess honors for the evening.

Joining Powell as guests were Fire Chief J. J. Benner and Ray Flagg, president of the Firemen's Association.

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