

The Social World

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WEDDINGS ARE SOCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



FEMININE FROTH . . . Mrs. Robert Stewart and Miss Doreen Shaw show eyelet-embroidered, pastel-shaded organdy gowns which will be featured at the Beta Sigma Phi fashion show next Tuesday night, Apr. 2. The style parade will begin at 8:15 o'clock at the Bettie Thomas Studio, 1215 Crenshaw Blvd. All clothes are from the Mari Lyn Dress Shop on Crenshaw Blvd.



READY FOR THE BEACH . . . are these young damsels of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, left to right, Miss Loraine Storey, Mrs. Gene Stirling, and Mrs. Harold Roberts. The two women at the left are showing shorts styled in denim, while Mrs. Roberts models a two-piece pedal pusher outfit which can be worn without ironing. The playclothes, along with casual cottons, dressy afternoon wear, and formal attire from Mari Lyn's Dress Shop, will be in Tuesday night's 8:15 o'clock fashion parade at the Bettie Thomas Studio. Tickets at \$1 each may be obtained from any member of the sorority, or at Benard's Shoe Store, Mari Lyn's, or National Home Appliance.

Former Local Girl Recites Nuptial Vows

St. James Episcopal Church at Newport became a bower of flowers for an afternoon wedding Saturday, Apr. 18, when a former Torrance girl, Miss Marylou Hovlid, became the bride of Charles Bryan Crouch of Long Beach.

The Rev. Paul Moore Wheeler officiated at the 3 o'clock, double-ring rite.

Miss Hovlid chose a white nylon tulle over satin gown fashioned with a lace bodice, and carried a bouquet of white lilies and rosebuds.

Attending her were her sister, Mrs. William E. Buckley of Norwalk, as matron of honor, and two Torrance women, Miss Beverly Luster and Mrs. Richard Floyd as bridesmaids. Mrs. Buckley was attired in American Beauty Rose net over taffeta, while the bridesmaids wore gowns in pink net over taffeta. Little Diane Buckley, as flower girl, wore a full-length miniature of the bridesmaids' costumes, and carried a tiny duplicate of their nosegay bouquets.

Richard W. Bloom served as best man, while ushers were William E. Buckley, John McWilliams, and Ronald Freeman.

The pink motif in the bridal ensembles was echoed in the floral decorations, which were arranged by the ladies of the Altar Guild. A reception at the Parish hall followed the ceremony.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hovlid of Long Beach, attended schools in Torrance, where she was a member of Job's Daughters. She later attended Long Beach City College, where she was a member of Kappa and Long Beach State College, where she was active in Omega Phi Delta, Tri Sigma, and Calista.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crouch of Long Beach. Following graduation from Wilson High School, he served in Europe with the Army of Occupation. He completed his schooling with a degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Southern California, and is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Following a short honeymoon in the mountains, the newlyweds will be at home at 2749 E. Second St., Long Beach.



MISS MARYLOU HOVLID . . . Becomes Mrs. Charles Crouch

WILMA MUSOLF WEDS NORIS TILLER; COUPLE HAVE TORRANCE HOME

Now receiving friends in their apartment at the Mayfair are the new Mr. and Mrs. Noris Tiller, nee Wilma Louise Musolf, who recited nuptial vows at Easter Sunday ceremonies in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints in Long Beach.

The former Miss Musolf, given in marriage by her father, Walter Musolf, chose a white satin gown trimmed with lace and a matching lace veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses to complete her bridal ensemble.

Little Carol Ann Musolf, gowned in ruffled white satin, scattered rose petals in the pathway of her sister as she walked down the aisle to become Mrs. Tiller.

Also preceding the bride down the aisle was Matron of Honor Mrs. Ronald Green, wearing pink lace accented with a bouquet of red roses; and three bridesmaids, who wore lace gowns of varying rainbow shades.

Miss Corrine Musolf, sister of the bride, chose orchid; Jacqueline Dow of Compton wore green; and Moldena Reed, sister of the groom, selected blue. Each girl carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

Standing with the groom as best man was Dave Pales. Jerry Batty, William Spangler, and Frank Bigler ushered.

Following the wedding, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Musolf, opened their home at 1318 W. 219th St. for a reception honoring the new pair. Nearly 70 attended the affair.

The former Miss Musolf attended Compton and Narbonne High Schools. Her husband, the son of Mrs. Florence Criddle of Torrance, is a graduate of Torrance High.

Richard Boal, Inglewood Miss Marry

Richard Dale Boal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boal, 2380 Torrance Blvd., and his bride, the former Miss Mary Jo Nichols, of Inglewood, returned Wednesday from a Balboa honeymoon to set up housekeeping in Inglewood.

The couple exchanged vows last Sunday afternoon at ceremonies in the Presbyterian Church of Hawthorne. For the occasion, Miss Nichols wore a white satin and nylon net gown of ballerina length, a nylon net finger-tip veil held in place by a small net cap, and carried white orchids and stephanotis in bouquet.

Maid of honor and only attendant of the bride was her sister, Miss Linda Nichols, who chose a blue moire taffeta gown and a bouquet of pink carnations. Jack Boal attended as his brother's best man, while Edward Bliss and George Adams ushered.

Prior to the rites, Miss Sheila Squires sang "Because" and "My Hero." A reception, attended by 125 guests, followed at the church social hall.

Later that evening, close friends and relatives gathered for a buffet supper in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of the groom's parents, White glads and lilies decorated the Torrance Blvd. Boal home for the occasion.

The Boals have been residents of Torrance for the past 15 years. In addition to newly-married Richard, who attended Torrance High School and served with the U. S. Army in Korea for two years, they have two other sons, Jack, a senior at Torrance High, and Dennis, a first grade pupil at Fern Ave. School.

Richard's bride, the daughter of Mrs. Frances Nichols of Inglewood, will graduate from Inglewood High in June.

Home Rites Unite Locals

The 17309 Casimir St. home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Edmondson, was the setting for a simple ceremony uniting Miss Jo Marie Edmondson and Robert Duhart in marriage April 11.

Twenty relatives and close friends witnessed the rites joining the duo, who are now residing at 15232 Van Ness St. The Rev. Rouse of the Pentecostal Holiness Church in Lawndale officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a white satin gown with a nylon yoke ruffled with lace. Ruffles of the same lace extended in two panels down each side of the circular skirt and long train and trimmed the nylon fingertip length veil held in place by a seed-pearl cap.

A bouquet of white carnations centered with a white orchid completed the bridal costume. Miss Edmondson's only attendant was her sister, Miss Frances Edmondson, who chose a bouffant blue nylon gown and a carnation bouquet. Ralph Dodge served as best man.

The couple honeymooned at Riverside and Lancaster.

PLAYS HOSTESS TO SOUTH BAY ORACLES

Mrs. Sam Shepherd, oracle of Torrance Royal Neighbors, recently played hostess to 25 members of the South Bay District Oracles Club at a luncheon in her home, 807 Beech Ave.

Low bowls of spring flowers centered lace-covered tables at the affair. A group of past oracles of Torrance assisted the hostess.

Pictured after wedding rites at the White and Day Colonial Chapel Saturday of last week are the new Staff Sergeant and Mrs. John Ray. The bride, the former Miss Dorothy Detiege, will live with her mother, Mrs. Sue Detiege, 20917 Margaret St., while the groom, who leaves tomorrow for Texas, completes his army service. (Wilson House of Photography)



Miss Detiege Is Bride of Sergeant Ray

French lace and nylon net formed the costume of Miss Dorothy Detiege, daughter of Mrs. Sue Detiege, 20917 Margaret St., when she exchanged wedding vows with John Ray, a staff sergeant in the U. S. Army, Saturday of last week.

Scene of the 6 p. m. ceremony, performed by D. Robert Tallin, was the White and Day Colonial Chapel on Torrance Blvd.

The bride chose a bouquet of white roses and a white orchid tied with pink ribbon to complement her ensemble. Her sister, Mrs. Richard Petty, attending as matron of honor in a pink nylon net gown and a bouquet of yellow roses and carnations in harmonizing shades.

Other pastel tints were seen in the nylon net costumes of the bridesmaids. Miss Esther Detiege, sister of the bride, wore green; Janet Hamilton selected baby blue; and Miss Loraine Jones chose orchid. Each girl carried a bouquet of sweet peas and carnations.

Paul Ray served as his brother's best man, while the bride's three brothers, Sidney, Roger, and David Detiege ushered.

Fifty guests attended the reception held at the home of the bride's mother after the ceremony.

The new Mrs. Ray, a graduate of Roosevelt High School in Los Angeles, will make her home with her mother while her husband, a graduate of Los Angeles High School, completes his army service. Now stationed at Camp Stoneman, he will leave tomorrow for Texas.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT DUHART . . . Exchange Wedding Vows Here