

THS Gals Display Advantages of Home Sewing in Style Show



COTTON CASUALS
... Joan Jernigan, Frances Frisina



SLEEK SLACKS
... Sylvia Ballgud



FORMAL FUN
is in store for Mariene Schooley when she wears this nylon organdy gown, sewed at school for only \$20.



SLIM SHEATH
... Betty Peterson



SERIOUS WORK, SOCIAL WHIRL
... Sally Hayakawa, Vonnie Griffin

PRETTINESS POSSIBLE FOR PALTRY PENNIES

Showing that a gal can look pretty as a picture without putting pressure on papa's purse strings, 25 students in clothing construction classes at Torrance High School modeled costumes they had made during the semester for an all-school "audition" Wednesday morning last week.

Every type of garment from pajamas to beachwear, cottons and coats, suits and formals, was shown during the style parade.

The cotton casuals, perfect for campus wear, shown at the far left were made by Misses Joan Jernigan, 1411 Cota Ave., and Frances Frisina, 3607 W. 244th St.

Joan, a freshman, models a white plique frock studded with red and blue crosses. Styled with a sloping V neckline and full gathered skirt, the outfit cost-

are to teach home economics. Miss Betty Peterson, 18003 Atkinson Ave., shows the ever popular sheath dress, made up in powder blue Irish linen. The frock, equally appropriate for campus wear or more dressy occasions, features a narrow, roll-back collar outlined with pearls on either side of the modified slit. Betty, a senior student who plans to study dress designing at El Camino College next fall, made the costume for \$4.50.

When Miss Sally Hayakawa, 18901 S. Prairie Ave., goes hunting for her first job in the field of fashion illustration, she probably will wear a costume much like the baby blue flannel suit she wears in the photo at the far right. The softly-tailored ensemble, made for \$12, is styled with straight skirt and slightly flared, short jacket with all pockets at the bustline.

The green and white silk print, sprinkled liberally with gold print, which Miss Vonnie Griffin, 234 Paseo de las Delicias shows, is a party frock for a pitantse; total cost of the gown was only \$8. Vonnie, a graduating senior who plans to study dress design at a San Francisco school next fall, styled the costume with a ruffled, off-shoulder neckline and wears a green taffeta underslip to give the gathered skirt extra fullness.

COUSINS PLAN SATURDAY DOUBLE WEDDING RITES



Two cousins will become brides at double-wedding ceremonies here next Saturday, June 6.

The brides-to-be are Miss Ellen Seaborn, daughter of the J. A. Seaborns, 802 Cota Ave., and Miss Frances Atkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Atkins, 621 Cota Ave.

A junior at Torrance High School, Miss Seaborn will exchange vows with Joe Calderon, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Kavathas of Redondo Beach. The benedict-elect attended Banning High School and served overseas with the U. S. Army for several years.

Miss Atkins, a THS sophomore, will become Mrs. Ray Oviatt. Her fiance, who also attended Torrance High, is the son of the G. W. Oviatts, formerly of 3416 W. 188th St. and now of Whittier.

MISS ELLEN SEABORN, left, daughter of the J. A. Seaborns, 802 Cota Ave., is the affianced bride of Joe Calderon, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Kavathas of Redondo Beach.

MISS FRANCES ATKINS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Atkins, 1621 Cota Ave., will wed Ray Oviatt, son of the G. W. Oviatts, formerly of Torrance and now of Whittier.

Bonnet Tallies Highlight Decor At Card Party

Using bonnet-shaped tallies backed with cotton prints to total scores, nearly 115 members of the Junior and Senior Woman's Clubs, their husbands, and friends gathered at several homes in the community Wednesday night last week for a dessert card party sponsored by the Juniors.

Top bridge honors for the evening were won by Earl Clayton, while the canasta prize was captured by Mrs. Hal H. Jones. Second awards in the two games went to Dean Sears and Mrs. A. F. R. Ewalt.

Prizes were presented at the Clubhouse following card play in the homes. Refreshment tables at the gathering, arranged by Mrs. Charles T. Rippey Jr. and her committee, carried out a spring theme with yellow flowers and matching tap-ers.

Assisting Mrs. Rippey were Mesdames I. M. Hanson, K. L. McBroen, Charles Schultz Jr., and Clair Johnson.

Opening their homes for the evening were Junior Club members, Mesdames Robert Mowry, John Kemp, R. R. Dexter, C. Albert Smith, P. E. Parker, L. G. Jones, R. G. Beecher, War-

'All Night Party' to Fete Graduating THS Seniors

To honor the senior class of '53, Torrance High School PTA will again sponsor the traditional "all night party" following graduation exercises next Thursday evening, June 11.

Parents, teachers, and enthusiastic citizens of Torrance have combined efforts for the past two years in staging these festivities and this year's event gives indications of being the best one yet, Mrs. Jackson Moore said in announcing the evening schedule.

From 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m., the halls of El Camino College will sparkle with the variety of a carnival, she said. Included among the activities will be dancing, games, a snack bar, motion pictures and contests. Breakfast will be served at 4 a.m.

Parents, teachers, organizations, and businessmen have co-operated in donating money, providing transportation and equipment, and volunteering for "shaperone" shifts, Mrs. Moore said. Anyone desiring to contribute time or money to make the affair a success may call her at FAirfax 5-7695.

Miss Brumbelow Is Bride

Quiet, doubling ceremonies at the First Christian Church in Las Vegas united Miss Verne Jewel Brumbelow of Lomita in marriage with John T. Flynn of Pasadena on Memorial Day.

Attended only by her sister, Mrs. Harry Wittnebel, the bride chose a pale orchid net dress and matching hat adorned with spring flowers. Mrs. Wittnebel, whose husband served as best

man, chose a navy blue and white ensemble.

After a wedding dinner at The Sands, the new Mr. and Mrs. returned to the Southland to make their home in Manhattan Beach.

The bride, daughter of the C. M. Brumbelows, 24200 Allene Ave., Lomita, is a graduate of Narbonne High School. A pianist and singer, she has entertained many times for local service and social clubs.

ENTERTAIN SENATOR
Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Armstrong entertained former Senator and Mrs. J. Joseph Fogarty of North Providence, R. I., at dinner in their Warmside Street home Wednesday night of last week.

The Fogartys are in Los Angeles attending the convention of the National Association of Purchasing Agents.

BETSY ROSS CLUB TO SEW FOR BAZAAR

Sewing for the club's fall bazaar will continue next Tuesday, June 9, when the Betsy Ross Club meets at the 723 Columbia Pl. home of Mrs. Edna Babcock at 10:30 a.m.

A noon luncheon with sandwiches furnished by each member and a beverage provided by the hostess will follow.

Slate Picnic For Graduates

A 6 graduating students of Harbor City School will gather at Lomita Park Wednesday, June 17, for a picnic. Principal Winston Scott announced at last Thursday's PTA meeting.

The picnic will take the place of the customary luncheon in the auditorium, Scott said.

In charge of arrangements for the PTA-sponsored fete is Mrs. Carl Gregory. She will be assisted by Meses. James Triffon and Richard Seden.



PRESIDENT'S PARTY ... Executive board members of the Torrance Woman's Club gathered at the home of Mrs. D. J. Thomson, 1447 El Prado, Monday afternoon to honor their outgoing president, Mrs. A. F. R. Ewalt, with an informal "farewell" party. Enthroned in a soft, easy chair in the spacious living room, Mrs. Ewalt receives a corsage of garden vegetables from Mrs. Ruth Rogers. Watching the

presentation are, left to right, front row, Mesdames H. L. Mitchell, Lee A. McCoy, K. L. Figgins, B. W. Roberts; second row, J. A. Eisenbrandt, Miss Frances Dimitri, Mrs. Grover C. Van Deventer; third row, Mesdames Thomson, Gilbert Derouin; and B. L. Snodgrass. The Samsonite overnight case resting on the arm of the chair was a gift from the board to Mrs. Ewalt.



FORMING THE V ... used as the motif in Tuesday's installation ceremonies are the new and old officers of the Torrance High School Girls League. Old officers on the left side of the "V" are left to right, Pat Garrison, president; Julie Rhone, vice-president; Carolyn Chapman, secre-

tary; Ann Steinbaugh, treasurer; Charlene Grase, Tartar Lady queen. New leaders, right to left, are Mary Sue Easley, president; Norma Quine, vice-president; Peggy Wood, secretary; Judi Reid, treasurer; Dee Gibson, historian-reporter; and Sandy Grub, Tartar Lady queen. In the center of the "V" is Miss Carmelita Rauss, sponsor of the group.