



FOLLOWING Fashion with Dorothy Downing

COLOR—HOW TO USE IT . . .

In becoming your own fashion expert, it is not only important but imperative to know the basic fundamentals of how to use color. This is not to be confused with merely being cognizant of what your best colors are, for it could be safely ventured that every la femme who has reached a dozen years can relate at some length what shades and tones have proven to be her most flattering.

It is a well-known fact that every fashion-wise woman can become skilled in the art of adding and subtracting inches by merely knowing how to cleverly apply those notes of color.

Listed below are several points to be remembered . . .

- 1. Keep your color accents in the same third of the body. Avoid the checkerboard look. Example: Navy accessories with red. Wrong: Red shoes and red hat . . .



SPOTLIGHT ON HATS . . . Ilene (Mrs. G. H.) Blahnik, wearing a replica of Torrance Fire Station to symbolize her husband's occupation, admires the funeral service being staged on the hat worn by Marilyn (Mrs. Robert) Mowry to depict her hubby's means of livelihood.

Narbonne PTA Hears Talk on School Issues

A short talk on current school issues by Principal Earl Eckert highlighted the initial 1953-54 meeting of Narbonne PTA, held last week at the school auditorium with Mrs. E. N. Bernardin, president, conducting the business session.

Marilyn Mowry, Ilene Blahnik Win Prizes for Best Chapeaux

Crowned with hats symbolizing their husbands' occupations, 58 Junior Woman's Club members gathered at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., last Wednesday night for a fast-paced scramble at banco tables.

Seaside PTA Furthers Plans For Cub Pack

A program-planning meeting, the fourth organizational session, will be held by committee members interested in forming a new Seaside PTA-sponsored Cub Pack next Wednesday, Nov. 4, at the home of George Hunt.



START TICKET SALES . . . Mrs. Basil Ball, ticket chairman for the Dec. 12 White Christmas Ball to be sponsored by the North Torrance Puchsia Society, sells the first ticket to the affair to Councilman Willys Blount. Ducats went on sale last Tuesday and may be obtained by calling Mrs. Ball at ME 4-7831. The ball, a semi-formal affair, will be held at Club Alondra.

Civic Group Installs Leaders Wednesday

Installation ceremonies for the 1953-54 officers of the North Torrance Civic Improvement Association will be held next Wednesday, Nov. 4, 8 p.m., at McMaster Hall, Mrs. W. A. Wright, press chairman, reported this week.

New Junior Ballroom Group Holds First Meet Tomorrow

A novel organization recently introduced in this city, Torrance Junior Ballroom Group, will gather at the Bettie Thomas Studio tomorrow night, 7 to 9 o'clock, for its first meeting.

Churchwomen Plan to Visit Settlement

Visits to the Homer Toberman Settlement House in San Pedro will highlight next week for two circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Methodist Church, Mrs. Bruce Kyer, publicity chairman, reported Friday.

WCTU Leaders To Attend State Meet; Form Youth Groups Here

Six leaders of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union will be attending a state convention tomorrow through Friday, Nov. 6, at Moore Memorial Methodist Church in Long Beach, Mrs. D. Boone Kirks, publicity chairman, revealed this week.

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WELL-WISHERS . . . Many family members and friends gathered at International Airport last Thursday night to see Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fish, 1719 Cabrillo Ave., off on a three-month tour of Africa and Europe, to be highlighted by a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Van H. Barnard, at Tripoli, Libya, Africa.

Local Couple Takes Off on 3-Month Trip

Winging their way toward London Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fish, 1719 Cabrillo Ave., who plan to spend the next three months visiting points of interest on the European and African continents.



READY FOR THE TAKE-OFF . . . Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fish, 1719 Cabrillo Ave., wave goodbye to family and friends as they prepare to board a plane bound for London, the first stop on a three-month trip which will take them to many points of interest on the European and African continents.

Local Man, Seattle Miss Recite Vows

Announcement of her brother's wedding came to the Herald this week from Mrs. Francis E. Scholer of Torrance. The groom, Pfc. Richard G. Gilbert, son of the Robert T. Gilberts, 1610 Fern Ave., claimed a Seattle miss, Dolores Lucci, as his bride at Oct. 10 ceremonies at the Keystone Congregational Church in Seattle.

Local Girls Observe National Scout Week

In observation of National Girl Scout Week, which concludes today, Girl Scouts of Fern Ave.-Greenwood PTA's Troop 1299, attended the Methodist Church on a mass last Sunday and sponsored a booth at the PTA carnival last Friday.

Enjoy Skating Party

Sponsored by their co-leader, Mrs. Lester Mitchell, and program aides, Janice Hood and Barbara Nis, 21 Girl Scouts of Crenshaw PTA's Troop 1368 enjoyed a skating party at Lawn Dale last week.

MYF HEARS TALE OF LIBERIAN MISSIONS

Twenty young people, all members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, heard the story of mission work in Liberia last Sunday when they attended a potluck dinner and meeting at the church.