



MR. AND MRS. JOHN HARDY  
... At reception

### Bean-Hardy Nuptials Read In Wayside Chapel Rites

Wayside Chapel in Lomita was the scene of a pretty wedding ceremony at 8 o'clock Nov. 26 when Miss Lella Mae Bean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bean of 25323 Walnut Ave., pledged her marriage vows with John Edward Hardy, son of Mrs. Lill Hardy Wood, also of Lomita.

Mr. Bean escorted his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. She wore a ballerina-length wedding gown of candlelight satin trimmed with tulle and lace. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a starburst lace crown and she carried a small white Bible topped with a nosegay of carnations.

Miss Ethel Lee Bean was her sister's only attendant. She wore an aqua blue ballerina-length gown and carried a nosegay of pink carnations. Lenny Wood served as his brother's best man and ushers were Fred Pederson and Danny P. Rickard. Rev. S. Rostine officiated at the ceremony and a reception was held in the church parlors.

Miss Kathleen Kennerman, cousin of the bride, was in charge of the guest book.

Miss Elizabeth Crossy sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Robert Malcolm, organist.

The newlyweds are now at home in Lomita. Both are graduates of the Narbonne High School. Mrs. Bean took her vocational nurses training at Harbor Junior College and the Harbor General Hospital. Mr. Bean served four years with the United States Air Force and is now in the Air Force Reserve.

### Sewing Club Enjoys Party

The regular meeting of the Sewing Group Club was held at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Lockman Jr., 1640 W. 218th St., recently for their annual Christmas party.

The decorations and refreshments were carried out in the Christmas theme, among them being the gaily-decorated mantel on which there were lollypops and gifts with corresponding numbers. This was the unique way the gifts were exchanged instead of the usual drawing of names.

The members enjoying the informal evening were Misses J. A. Barrington, William Tolson, John Agostino, George Diaz, D. Paul, Tom Marshall, Frank Kelly, Robert Stewart, and the hostess Mrs. Kenneth Lockman Jr.

### NEBRASKA GUESTS

Expected to arrive next week from Nebraska, are Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wenske who will spend Christmas here with Mr. Wenske's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenske, 2550 El Dorado, Mrs. Irving Wenske is the former Betty Miller, who was a telephone operator in Lomita before going to Nebraska to make her home.

### HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Expected to arrive by plane about Dec. 20 from Detroit, Mich. is Mrs. Margerite Desmond, who will be here for the holidays with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weston and children John, Skippy and Suzanne at their home, 23032 Huber Ave.

## Palos Verdes Homes Opened for Tour

Palos Verdes Community Center Women's auxiliary completed plans for the Christmas Home Tours at a meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Eisler. The civic-spirited Palos Verdes women resolved to promote public enthusiasm for a Community Center and to start a building fund under the sponsorship of the Palos Verdes PTA.

These women have been enthusiastically working on original Christmas decorations for table arrangements and trees. They have also provided some unique and original Christmas jewelry which will be on sale at the last home on the tour where refreshments will be served.

Five individually styled homes will be on display featuring the Christmas motif. The tour will be presented for two days, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 11 and 12. Tickets and maps will be available at the Palos Verdes Drug store and during the tour in the plaza and at the first home on the tour, which is easily reached by driving west from the plaza approximately one mile on either the scenic Paseo del Mar or Palos Verdes Dr. west to a point where the two drives join.

This first home is that of Mr. and Mrs. E. Calvin Clark, 100 Paseo del Mar in Bluff Cove. This early American home has a view of the cove, sea, surf,

mountains and city. From there the tour goes to Lunada Bay, where Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yeakel reside. Their home is original in design and is known as the "Beachcomber." The tour then makes a swing toward the Monte Malaga Cove area where Mrs. Charles L. Williams will open her Italian design home for this worthwhile occasion.

From there the tour cuts over to the grove with its tall eucalyptus trees that reflect an atmosphere of grandeur. Here in this serene setting is the Colonial type home of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart A. Ripley.

The last home on the tour is architecturally styled along the modern line, and is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Tod. Here refreshments will be served and original Christmas decorations and jewelry will be on sale. The public is invited to make this tour.

## Junior Woman's Club Opens Christmas Season with Tea

One of the most beautiful parties of the winter season was given Sunday afternoon when the Torrance Junior Woman's Club entertained at its annual Christmas tea. The lovely home of Mrs. James E. Burchett was thrown open for the affair and was elaborately decorated in the Christmas motif.

The dining table which held handsome silver tea services was centered with an arrangement of peach and red carnations in a silver samovar flanked with tall white candles in silver holders. Another table in the den was centered with a huge gold star sprinkled with tiny pine boughs and centered with a huge white Christmas candle. The mantel was banked in pine boughs and Christmas candles in red and white.

The holiday theme was further carried out in the open face tea sandwiches and pastries. More than 150 guests called during the tea hours from 2 until 4 p.m.

Guests attending included Mrs. Ray Rogers, president of the Senior Woman's Club and Mesdames W. C. Boswell, Gilbert Derouin, E. L. Snodgrass, Dean Sears, C. T. Ripley, B. T. Whitney, Park Montague, Earl Clayton, Albert Posner, Robert Morton, H. F. Jensen, D. W. Robinson for appointments.

## Club's White Christmas Ball Set for Tomorrow Evening

In a gala theme of white top hats and colorful white and fuchsia Christmas ornaments, Western Avenue Country Club will be the setting tomorrow evening for the annual White Christmas Ball to be given by the North Torrance Fuchsia Society. The affair has been arranged by a committee composed of Mrs. Irene Allison, chairman; Mrs. Adeline Cortez and Mrs. Connie Gastum. Tables throughout the club will be ornamented with miniature white hats and Christmas decorations. The band stand where Ed Clothier and his orchestra will be seated will be effectively decorated with a larger white top hat to which white and fuchsia streamers will be attached.

Decorations for the dance have been handled by Mrs. Ruth Bruce and Mrs. Helen Isaacson. Proceeds from the dance will be used to help with the Fuchsia Society's booths at the Hollywood Park Flower show and the Torrance Flower show.

### College Faculty Party Tomorrow

The faculty of Palos Verdes College will have its annual Christmas party on Friday at the home of President and Mrs. John A. Howard in Portuguese Bend.

Each member of the group will bring one gift for the elaborate smorgasbord which will be served, and one gift for another staff member.

Following the faculty party will be the all-college Christmas dinner served on campus to students, faculty, and staff; and the Christmas Formal at Palos Verdes Country Club.

# The Social World

## .....for and About Women

Edna Cloyd, Editor

## Toby Mock Now Mrs. R. E. Pore After Chapel Rites Nov. 27

In a white slipper satin wedding gown, fashioned en-train, Miss Toby Marilyn Mock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Clyde Mock, 409 East Carson St. walked down the aisle of Christ's chapel at the Long Beach Baptist church at 4:30 p.m. on Nov. 27 to become the bride of Richard Eugene

### PLEDGES SORORITY AT REDLAND'S U

Pledging Delta Kappa Phi sorority at the University of Redlands this semester is Lucille Van Deventer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Van Deventer, 2203 Carson St.

Miss Van Deventer was graduated from Torrance High School, where she won the outstanding Senior Girl award and a Lions Club scholarship. A sophomore at Redlands this year, she is a member of Spurs, honorary women's service organization, University Choir, and Orchestra, music club. She is majoring in music education.

### Chapter Provides Basket for Needy

Alpha Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Epsilon sorority of Inglewood supplied a Thanksgiving basket to a needy Inglewood family. The family was selected by the Highland Grammar school. The family has three children attending Highland and three at the Inglewood High school. Delivery was made by Mrs. Gail Beverly, philanthropic chairman of the sorority.

### CLINIC TODAY

Deafness Preventive clinic sponsored by the Assistance League of San Pedro will be held today in the League club house, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. All children of the harbor area are eligible to attend this clinic and parents are asked to call Mrs. G. A. Robinson for appointments.

### MARKS BIRTHDAY

Janet Irene Lemen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lemen, 2121 Andree, celebrated her seventh birthday last Saturday. As a special honor for the occasion, Janet was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reid and two sons, Jim and Jonnie, at a Saturday afternoon matinee and dinner.

### HOUSE GUEST

Mrs. Frances E. Clark, 1731 Andree Ave., has as her house guest Mrs. D. A. Warner of Calgary, Can. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Warner have been friends since their school days in Maline. Mrs. Warner will be here for an indefinite stay.

### NOTE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, 1304 Arlington Ave., celebrated their 14th wedding anniversary with dinner and dancing in the Torrance room at the Statler hotel. Xavier Cugat is currently appearing there.

### Mr., Mrs. Mitchell at Home In Lomita Following Wedding

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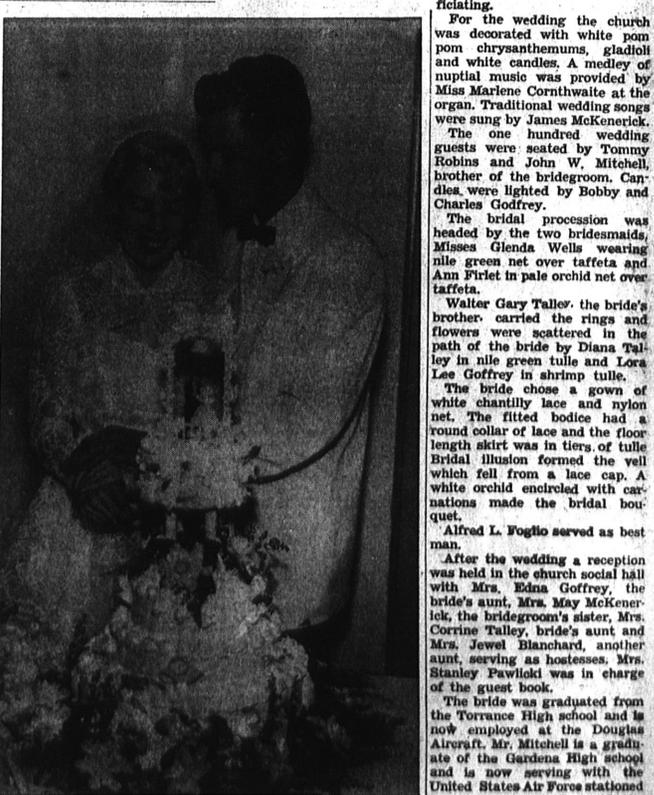
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ATTENDING WHITE CHRISTMAS DANCE ... to be given by the North Torrance Fuchsia Club tomorrow evening at the Western Country Club will be, from left, Mrs. Helen Isaacson, Mrs. Ruth Bruce and Mrs. Connie Gastum. A "white top hat" theme has been chosen for the motif at this elaborate social function of the winter season.



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS MITCHELL  
... Cutting the cake