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Junior Woman's Club Elects New Officers for 1955-56 Club Year

Mrs. Robert L. Mowry, 1615 Juniper, will serve as president of the Torrance Junior Woman's club for the year 1955-56. She was elected at a meeting of the club Wednesday evening, Mrs. Mowry attended Torrance schools from the first grade and was graduated from Torrance High school after which she attended Compton Jr. College.

She is a member of families long affiliated in the civic betterment and social activities of Torrance. Her mother, Mrs. Blandford Moyer, is a member of the Senior Woman's Club and Robert Mowry's father was a science teacher at the Torrance High School. Mr. and Mrs. Mowry and their two daughters, Janis Lynn and Jody Ann, are members of the Methodist church. Mrs. Mowry served as 1954 residential chairman for the Red Cross and is secretary of the board of Torrance's Scout center.

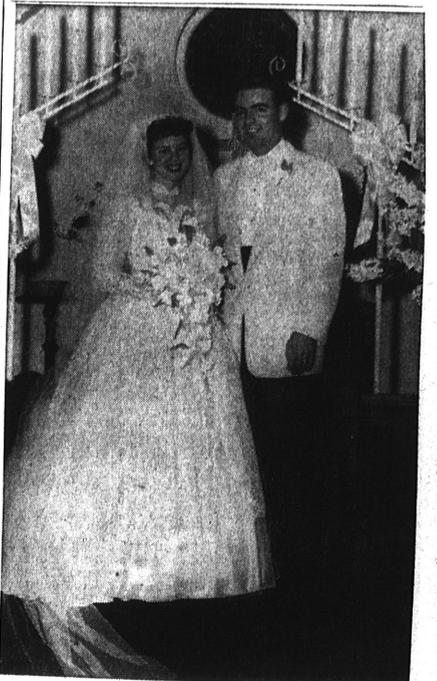
Assisting her with the activities of the Junior Woman's club for the coming year will be: Mrs. John Kemp, first vice president; Mrs. George Blahnik, second vice president; Mrs. Sid Gans, third vice president; Mrs. Richard Beecher, recording secretary; Mrs. Clair Johnson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Marvin Brain, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Waddell, auditor; and Mrs. Robert Evans, reporter.

In addition four directors will be appointed to serve on the executive board, federation and philanthropy. The club raised \$20 for the Red Cross with the evening's project a penny a year with each member donating a penny for each year of her age.

A donation of \$75 was approved for the Torrance Dental Health Assn. and \$10 to the YWCA Centennial Fund.

The hospital building fund committee also gave its report and Mrs. John Kemp announced the last district meeting of the club to be held in Glendale, March 28.

Proceeding the meeting Mrs. Esther Millar, a member of the executive board of the Torrance Dental Health Assn. which was organized in June, 1952, presented a film "Let's Keep Them Smiling." She spoke on the



MR. MRS. JAMES HANNA ... plight vows

Schrepel-Hanna Names Are Linked in Beautiful Candlelight Ceremony

Lovely in her floor length wedding gown of tulle over taffeta fashioned with a lace bodice, mandarin collar, long lily-point sleeves and an overskirt of lace, Miss Mary Jo Schrepel exchanged wedding vows with James E. Hanna in Wayside chapel of the Methodist church recently.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Lois Litaker of Redondo Beach, was escorted to the altar by a long-time friend of the family, Lester Roach. Her imported train-length illusion veil cascaded from a pearl studded net band. The bridal bouquet was of shattered carnations, lilies of the valley and a white orchid. Miss Marilyn Schumer and Mrs. James Quider were the

honor attendants. They wore identical gowns in cotton blue net over taffeta with lace inserts in the skirts, and lace jackets. They carried colonial bouquets of pink rosebuds and wore wreaths of rosebuds in their hair.

Mrs. Harry Mellor Jr. and Mrs. Stanley Ward were the bridesmaids. Their gowns were of rose pink and they carried nosegays of pink rosebuds.

Petite Donna Broos and Diane Caya, in bouffant yellow nylon tulle dropped flowers from white baskets fluted with yellow net. Randy Roach carried the rings. Candles were lighted by Jerry Geren and Melvin Abojian.

The bride and Mr. Roach were met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, Jack Watson. Ushers were Jerry Geren, Harry Mellor and Melvin Abojian.

The Rev. Howard Rosine officiated at the ceremony which took place before the altar decorated with baskets of white

stock and six branched candleabra holding white tapers. Mrs. Nadine Nielcol sang "If I Could Tell You," "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

At the reception, Mrs. Jay Wilson was in charge of the guest book. Assisting were Mmes James Traylor, Ronald Smiley, Ed Enrietta and William Brown.

The couple spent a honeymoon in San Francisco and are now at home at 2521 W. 42nd St., Los Angeles.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School and is now employed at the National Supply Co.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hanna, was graduated from the Redondo Beach High school and is an employe of a Trust Co. in Los Angeles.

Torrance JayCettes are busy with plans for a St. Patrick Day Dance to be held Saturday evening, March 19, at the American Legion Hall in Torrance. Ken Perkins and his orchestra will provide the music and Mrs. Gordon Jones has charge of ticket sales.

At the dinner meeting of the Torrance JayCettes held at a Wateria restaurant, seven prospective JayCettes from Westchester were guests. The visitors were interested in organizing an auxiliary to the Westchester Junior Chamber of Commerce and attended the local club to secure information on club procedure and activities.

On Wednesday evening, March 2, two Torrance members, Mrs. Fred Hansen, vice president in charge of external affairs, and Mrs. Ed Karlow, advisor, attended an organizational JayCette meeting in Westchester and assisted with setting up the club. Twenty-two prospective members were present.

Juniors of the Court of St. Catherine of America attended the installation of officers and initiation of new members of the Court Ave Maria on Vermont in Los Angeles last Saturday. Miss Shelia Snow was formally initiated into the local court.

For the impressive ceremony, the junior officers were in pastel formals. During a social hour refreshments were served. Many local and state dignitaries were present for the event. Attending from Torrance were Mrs. Gerald Lowe, chairman; Mrs. William Hardesty and Mrs. Joseph Terkmany, counselors; and Mrs. Frank Gately, grand regent.

Juniors attending were Shelia Snow, Court Armstrong, Marian Terkmany, Susan and Marjorie Lowe, and JoAnn Diamond.



MRS. ROBERT MOWRY ... Junior President

IN DENVER FOR SCHOOL CONFAB

Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of schools and Albert Posner are in Denver attending the American Assn. of School Administrators Convention in session from March 12 through 16. Mr. Posner will visit several colleges in Arizona, Colorado and New Mexico to recruit teachers for the Torrance schools. He will meet Mrs. Posner and children, Tommy and Janet in Phoenix, where they are spending a three-week vacation visiting with friends and relatives. They will return to Torrance together.

SECOND SON

A second son has joined the family of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Snyder of 2767 Portobello Dr. Born at Gardena Hospital Feb. 15, the infant weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz. at birth. He was named Scott Andrew and has a brother, Stephan, 13 months.

SOUTH BAY TRI-DELTS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Highlighting the March 9 meeting of the South Bay Alliance of Delta Delta Delta was the installation of new officers at the Palos Verdes Estates home of Mrs. Ralph Dickson. Mrs. James Cole, president, heads the executive board with Mrs. Donald Kane, vice-president; Mrs. Ralph Dickson, secretary; Mrs. Pauline H. Lindsay, treasurer and Mrs. M. M. Musselman, past president.

Assisting the board will be Mrs. C. C. Todd, historian; Mrs. Richard S. Gibson, membership chairman; Mrs. Charles W. Russell, philanthropy chairman; Mrs. John M. Basler, publicity chairman and Mrs. Ray Clinton and Mrs. Musselman, recommendation chairman at a South Bay Panhellenic delegates.

Rushes Are Entertained

A progressive dinner honoring their rushes was the second social for the spring rush planned by the Alpha Omega Chapter of the Theta Chi Epsilon Sorority. The dinner began with cocktails at the home of Mrs. Robert Cazin. A delicious tossed green salad served buffet style provided the second course at the home of Mrs. Ted Witkowski. The group then drove to the home of Mrs. Frank Ives for the main course of beef stew and hot biscuits. This was served at a beautifully appointed table.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhone, 1019 Beech Ave., entertained as their dinner guests Saturday evening Mr. Rhone's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Rhone and son, John Jr. of El Monte.



MISS CHARLOTTE EMERY ... April Bride

Emery-Burton Nuptials to Be Solemnized April 16

More romantic news highlights the social calendar this morning with the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Charlotte, being made by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emery, 1573 W. 215th St. Miss Emery will become the bride of Gerald Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burton, 25530 January Dr., on April 16.

The wedding will take place at the First Baptist church in Torrance. Miss Emery has chosen her sister, Stella Emery, as her maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be DonAnn Long and Barbara Emery. Frank Burton, a brother of the bridegroom, will serve as best man and Bruce Burton will usher. A reception will follow the wedding.

Both the bride-elect and bridegroom-to-be are graduates of Narbonne High School, 1933. She is now employed by the telephone company in Compton and he is an employe of a Torrance construction firm.

Present were Sara Sue Ward, Carole Sue Jackson, Delyna Smith, Cathy Rusch, Betty Rusch, Jackie Allen, Ann Freas, Adrienne Aselin, Joyce Hutchinson, Mary Ann Rurack, Sonna Walker, and Joanne Minlear.

Election will be held at the next meeting March 21, at the home of Donna Walker. All members are asked to be present.

RELATIVES HERE FROM NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schmidt and children, Donnie and Craig, of 1220 Maple Ave., are entertaining Mrs. Schmidt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Joyce of Hamburg, New York. Returning to New York last week was Mrs. Schmidt's sister, Miss Carol Joyce, who is an international hostess for TWA.

Over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt and their guests were in Ensenada and they are planning a trip to Ojai during the week. Many sightseeing trips have been enjoyed during the easterners' visit.

Also at this meeting Mr. and Mrs. John Strom showed slides, handcraft and curios from Africa in May, 1953. Mr. Strom had served as president of the College of West Africa in Monrovia, Liberia for one and half years under the sponsorship of the Methodist Church.



MR. MRS. W. D. BOURNE ... At Wedding Reception

Lovely Reception Honors Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bourne

A beautiful reception last Sunday afternoon complimented Mr. and Mrs. William David Bourne, who were married in the Joan of Arc chapel in Las Vegas on Feb. 12. Mrs. Bourne is the former Donna Marie Friedman, daughter of Mrs. Mary Friedman, 18410 Hawthorne Blvd. and the late Ben C. Friedman. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bourne, 1453 216th St.

The reception last Sunday was given by the parents of the couple at the Bourne home. For this occasion the bride wore her wedding ensemble, a soft rose knit suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was a purple throated white orchid.

The three-tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride and the bridegroom. Assisting in extending hospitality were four college friends of the bride. Miss Adele Davidson wearing turquoise embroidered velvet and tulle poured coffee from the silver service. Miss Joyce Erblwine in royal blue net over taffeta presided at the crystal

Fireladies Plan Easter Egg Hunt

Their annual Easter Egg Hunt was planned by the Torrance Fireladies at their meeting Monday evening at the Civil Defense Building. The time and place are to be announced later. Mrs. Gordon T. Clarke and Mrs. Ed Polston are in charge of the affair.

During the evening a white elephant sale was held with Mrs. Ed Polston serving as auctioneer. Hostesses for Monday's meeting were Mrs. Jerry Loy and Mrs. Jay Nielsen.

The next meeting will be held Monday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Sam Martin, 2015 238th St.

CARD PARTY

Royal Neighbors will hold their regular monthly card party tomorrow evening at 8 at the Woman's clubhouse, 1422 Emgracia.

Keystone Club Meets

Keystone Woman's Club met Wednesday at the clubhouse, 127 W. 220th St., for a potluck luncheon and business session. The meeting was opened with the flag salute by Girl Scout Troop 475 under the leadership of Mrs. Bonnie Trambly. The troop is sponsored by the Carson St. PTA. Girls were Carol Rosenka, Vicki La Combe, and Linda Davis.

Plans to attend the district meeting, to be held at the Biltmore Hotel on April 4 were made. Attending will be Mrs. J. H. Parker, president; Mrs. A. C. Stamps, delegate, and Mrs. J. R. Helpert, alternate.

A nominating committee was appointed to name a slate of new officers to be elected at the next meeting. On this committee are Mrs. A. C. Stamps, chairman, Mrs. J. R. Helpert and Mrs. Pauline Tourtelot.

Four new members were welcomed, Mmes. J. T. Caldwell, M. Q. Wallace, W. N. Roberts and Lloyd Rowe.

Reports on two members who are ill, Mrs. Charles Coldon and Mrs. Marguerite Heilback were made.

PLAN SOBADA CLUB'S PROGRAM

A committee from the Sobada Dance Club met Monday evening in the rumpus room at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Derouin to complete plans for the program for the balance of the club year. Outstanding items will be the annual dinner-dance in June.

Meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Derouin were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cavanaugh, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farrell.

BIRTHDAY TRIP

Mrs. Lois Hagen, of 1751 Elm Ave., who celebrated a birthday on March 3, was complimented with a day's trip to Laguna Beach and dinner at the Victor Hugo Restaurant. Hostesses for the affair were her sisters, Mmes. Mariam Ashton, Phoebe Fulton, Maria Maddux, Margaret Palmer, and Florence Williams.