



Mrs. J. P. Foley Entertains At Lovely Tea for Mother

One of the loveliest parties of the early spring social season was the tea given by Mrs. F. P. Foley, at her home, 1634 W. 20th St., South Shores, last Friday afternoon, from 2 until 5, complimenting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Davidson of Storm Lake, Iowa.

The Foleys' attractive new home was further enhanced with a green and white St. Patrick's theme. The tea table was covered with a white net cloth over green nylon. The net in the center of the drape was caught by white stock and shamrocks. The centerpiece was made of white stock and green carnations with the addition of a few daffodils for artistic color. Flanking the centerpiece were tall white candles in silver holders.

Mrs. Harley B. Smith of Long Beach and Mrs. Charles Nalle of Santa Ana presided at the silver tea services during the first hour. They were succeeded by Miss Cynthia Keyes of San Pedro, and assisting in dispensing hospitality in the dining room were Mrs. Tom Sargent of Lang Beach and Mrs. George MacDonald of San Pedro.

During the tea hours, approximately 80 guests from all over Southern California called. Among those from the local area attending were: Mmes. Lolly Aherns, M. A. Bauman, V. D. Benard, James Burchett, William C. Crooker, Gilbert Derouin, S. J. Dunhouse, J. A.

No. Torrance League Moms Hold Meet

North Torrance Little League Auxiliary held its general meeting on March 5, 7:30 p.m. at the Crenshaw School with some fifty mothers of ball players in attendance. President, Mrs. Jeff Bell, introduced the officers of the newly-formed auxiliary and invited the mothers present to become members of the group.

Mrs. Herb Fisher, concession stand chairman, gave a report on the financial status of the stand and listed materials needed for the upkeep of the concessions stand.

Ways and Means co-chairman, Mrs. Joe Sorenson and Mrs. Art Charron led a discussion on money raising activities. It was voted by the Auxiliary to hold a dance on April 27 at the Rhythm Dance Academy in Lomita, with proceeds from the dance going for purchase of baseball equipment for the North Torrance Little League.

President Mrs. Bell advised the mothers that the Executive Board of the Auxiliary would meet March 11 at the home of Mrs. Herb Fisher to prepare by-laws for the auxiliary and that the by-laws would be pre-

Psychiatrist Will Speak

Dr. Joseph A. McCowin, staff psychiatrist at the Compton sanitarium, will be the guest speaker at the meeting of the Torrance Y-Wives on March 27. The meeting which will begin at 10:30 a.m. will be held at the Y, 2320 W. Carson St.

Dr. McCowin will speak on "Parent-Child Relations," defining early manifestations of emotional difficulties; what is a normal child; and what are normal parents.

The speaker is a graduate of Utah State college. He received his medical training at the George Washington University and was stationed at the Maine hospital in Staten Island, N.Y.

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AQUARIUM UNIT MEETS MARCH 26

March meeting of the Harbor Aquarium Society will be held Tuesday, March 26 at 7:45 p.m. in the auditorium of the Gardena Community Center at 1651 Market St., Gardena. President Charles Jones will open the meeting.

The speaker of the evening will be Hank Bates of the Palos Verdes Bird Farm. Having been a fish hobbyist for the past twenty years, Mr. Bates has chosen for his topic, "Tropical Fish, in the Past and Present."

At this meeting, the results of the secret ballot election for new officers will be announced and the new officers will be introduced. The show fish of the month will be "Plays." The door prize will be a five gallon tank and hood. Everyone interested in tropical fish is invited to attend.

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Music Award Committee to Stage Benefit Style Show

"Notes of Fashions" was the appropriate theme selected by the Music Award Committee of the Wilmington Woman's club for its fashion show for the benefit of the music award scholarship fund organized in 1949 for a qualifying student from the Banning High school.

The benefit style show to be held Tuesday, March 26, at 12:30 p.m. at the Hacienda Hotel in San Pedro is being directed by Mrs. Almond B. Cockerill, music chairman of the club.

Assisting Mrs. Cockerill are co-chairmen Miss Claudia Roberts and Mrs. William Spellman. On the committee are Mrs. Robert Orrison, Mrs. John Zanella, Mrs. Robert Burns

Pledges Are Entertained

On Thursday, March 14, all pledges of Pi Phi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority were feted with a buffet supper which was combined with the regular pledge meeting.

The pledges attending the supper were: Mrs. James Stomatis, Mrs. Charles Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Donald Bradford, Mrs. David Elzy, Mrs. Thayne Connell, Mrs. Fred Dostal, Mrs. Donald Hake and Mrs. Donald Moore.

The theme for the occasion was "You've Been Such Angels" and each member was presented with a ceramic angel depicting her birthday month. This was the final meeting for the incoming group of members.

The meeting and supper was held at the home of Mrs. Bill D. Garrison, 21805 Palos Verdes Blvd., with Mrs. Stephen Nicely serving as co-hostess.

Dates for Girl Scout Camp Set

Torrance Girl Scout Day Camp will be held at the Torrance Park at Arlington and Santa Fe on June 24, 25, 26, 27, and July 1, 2 and 3.

The camp will begin at 9:30 a.m. and dismiss at 3 p.m. Mrs. A. A. Krauser, leader of Senior Girl Scout Troop 1299, is recruiting group leaders and will continue through all local Scout leaders.

She will be assisted by Mmes. William Marleau, Carl Wahl, Lee Stamps, registering; C. C. Clayton, arts and crafts; E. C. Osterlind, song leader; Foster Kelly, first aid, and P. M. Crossman, program aides.

Senior Scouts from Troop 1299 will act as program aides. All group leaders will receive training from Mrs. Krauser prior to the opening of the camp.

Shower Fetes New Mother

Bouquets of brightly colored ranunculus set the spring theme for a lovely luncheon shower given Saturday in honor of Mrs. Robert R. Christensen by Mrs. Glenn Kleinhesselink, 429 Via Malaga.

Baby gifts for the new mother were wheeled in on a little decorated cart. A cake, iced in white, was decorated with a pink umbrella with a number of tiny colored gifts beneath it. The parents' and the baby's names were also inscribed on the cake.

Later in the afternoon the guests and the hostess met at Mrs. Christensen's home where they were joined by their husbands for a Chinese dinner. Following dinner home movies were taken.

Local people attending the shower were Mmes. Melvin Walls, Louis Lanzer and James Hogan. Mrs. Joseph Schulman was unable to attend. Other guests included Mrs. Max Greenberg, the honoree's mother; Mrs. Christensen's aunt and great-aunt, Mrs. Thelma Schumer and Mrs. Mary Kemper, all from Long Beach. There were also guests from Los Angeles and Anaheim.

Install New Officers

Le Lakeb Ives VII of the Jesterettes held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. Arch Pevely, 8901 S. Wilton Pl., Los Angeles.

Following a dinner, new officers were installed. They are Mrs. Charles Ruppel, directress; Phyllis Pevely, leading lady; Anne Atkinson, tragedienne; Ethel Pevely, impresario, and Alice Ruppel, treasurer.

Retiring Directress Mrs. Fred Cook was presented with a pair of beautiful lamps from the order and a cleverly illustrated press book from the Pevely family.

Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Fred Cook, Mrs. Alice Ruppel, Mrs. Charles Ruppel and Mrs. E. Moffitt of Torrance; Mrs. Frank Atkinson, Lomita; Mrs. Ed Prince, Rolling Hills; Mrs. A. Weston, San Pedro; Mrs. Fred Wahl, Inglewood; Phyllis, Farnes and Ethel Pevely of Los Angeles.

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