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Seven

WEEKEND GUESTS

Deborah and Teresa Van Dyck, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Van Dyck, 2554 Torrance Blvd., spent the weekend in Hollywood Riviera as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hawk.

VISIT SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. George Winters, 2216 Arlington, spent two days recently in Fullerton where they were guests of Mrs. Winters' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Niall Quinn.



A PRESIDENT'S APPRECIATION . . . was graciously shown at the lovely luncheon and party given by Mrs. H. L. Mitchell, president of the Woman's Club last Wednesday honoring her executive board. Red roses from her garden decorated the luncheon table and bridge games were enjoyed during the afternoon. Attending the affair were, from

left, Mmes. R. E. Moffitt, Parke Montague, R. J. Prout, J. A. Tweedy, L. A. McCoy, president-elect; H. L. Mitchell, hostess; M. A. Bauman, J. A. Eisenbrandt, Victor Benard, D. J. Thomsen, and C. E. Cook. New officers will be installed at a luncheon meeting June 6.

(Herald Photo)

Stork Shower

A surprise stork shower honoring Mrs. Darl Mead was given by Mrs. Floyd Mead at her home, 721 Amapola, last Friday evening.

Guests presenting wee gifts to the honoree were Mmes. Thelma Beadle, Frieda Ossea, Ruth Noland, Norma Farrar, Ray Mead, Monroe Mead, Mable Hof and Helen Renton from San Clemente.

Those spending gifts but unable to attend were Mmes. Richard Moad, John Carincross, Lloyd Beadle, George Mead, Frances Coleasur and Ervin Mead.

Y-Wives

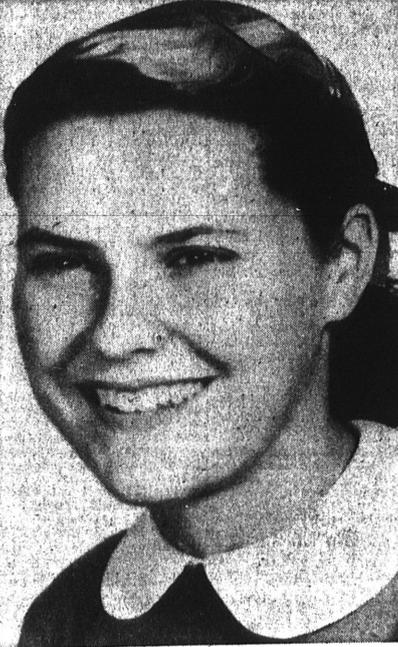
Y-Wives schedule for the next few weeks has been released as follows: May 15, roller skating; May 22, dancing and bridge; and May 25, swimming. There are openings for new members in Y-Wives. The meetings are held each Tuesday morning at the Y, 2320 Carson St. Nursery care is provided.

All-Night Graduation Party Slated

Plans are under way for the annual after-graduation and farewell party for all seniors of Torrance high schools. The party will be held this year on June 14 at Club Deauville, in Santa Monica, according to Mrs. George A. Bradford, Torrance High chairman and Mrs. A. B. Cowie, North High chairman.

This all-night party immediately following graduation exercises has become one of the traditions of Torrance. The expense and work entailed in this type of project have been carried by the senior classes, their parents and teachers. They have been greatly supported by Torrance organizations and business men.

Anyone desiring to make donations or contribute their time as "chaperone" is asked to call either Mrs. A. B. Cowie or Mrs. John Hinds.



MISS CAROL JACOBS
... Sets May 19 Date

Carol Jacobs Will Exchange Vows with Robert Chisholm

Of interest this morning is the announcement being made by Mr. and Mrs. David Jacobs, 1908 222nd St., of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Carol to Robert Chisholm.

The wedding will be solemnized May 19 at 1:30 p.m. at the Torrance Latter-day Saints' Church.

The future bride was graduated from the Torrance High School in 1952 and then attended El Camino College.

The benedict is a graduate of the Drexel Institute of Technology in Philadelphia. He is the son of Mrs. Sarah Chisholm of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. Chisholm served three years with the United States Navy and is now employed at the Torrance post office.

After June 1 the couple will be at home at 1336 W. 218th St.

Annual Memorial Service is Held by Gold Star Mothers

In an impressive ceremony, the Torrance Memorial Chapter, Inc. of the American Gold Star Mothers held its annual memorial service. Mrs. Gertrude Dobson, president, conducted the ceremony. The color guard composed of Mrs. Regina Cunningham and Mrs. Helen Smith escorted Ann Held, who served as chaplain in the absence of Lucy Vigil. The altar was covered with white linen and decorated with gold stars and white candles.

As the names of the deceased mothers were called a candle was lighted and a flower was placed on the altar. During the ceremony "The Lord's Prayer" was played by Jenny Fuller.

As the name of her son, who gave his life for his country, was called, each mother placed a flower on the altar in his memory.

After the ceremony, the group recited "The Lord's Prayer." Taps were played and the acting chaplain closed the program with prayer.

The refreshment table was beautifully decorated in white and gold. Covered with a white cloth, the center arrangement

was of yellow roses. Mrs. Regina Cunningham and Mrs. Helen Smith were in charge of the refreshments.

One Gold Star father, Louis Mayall, of Los Angeles was in attendance.

PEGGY WOOD IS NAMED OFFICER

Torrance resident, Miss Peggy Wood, has recently been elected secretary of the sophomore class at UC, Santa Barbara College. Miss Wood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wood, 2020 Martina Ave.

As secretary of the class of '59 Miss Wood will coordinate sophomore activities which include presenting a skit in the annual class quartet show. Miss Wood has been active on campus as a member of Junior Panhellenic and the Home Economics Club. She is also affiliated with Chi Omega sorority.

Miss Wood is now completing her freshman year at the new seashore campus where she is majoring in home economics.



MR. AND MRS. FRED GISH, SR.
... Reminiscing

Mr., Mrs. Fred Gish, Sr. Are Feted on Golden Wedding

Mother's Day held a special significance this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gish Sr., 2836 W. 175th St., as it was also the couple's Golden Wedding anniversary. An open house was held and more than one hundred friends called to wish congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Gish, who were married in Alexander, Kansas, on May 13, 1905, came to California from Hutchinson, Kan., 14 years ago. Mr. Gish is a retired grocer. Mrs. Gish is active in the South Bay Church of God and spends much time teaching on the Relief Time Christian education program. Six of their eight children were on hand last Sunday for the open house.

Those present were Mrs. Joel Cuppes of Hutchinson, Kan.; Mrs. H. L. Wickendall, Hawthorne; Mrs. C. E. Hart of Los Angeles, and Robert-Gish, Arlene Yorke and Mrs. E. C. Hacker, all of Torrance. Two sons, Fred Gish Jr. of Tacoma, Wash., and Walter Gish of Murdock, Kan., were unable to be present. The couple also boast 15 grandchildren.

At Sunday's party, a huge tiered wedding cake decorated in gold was served to the many friends and relatives of the celebrants. Tomorrow, Mr. and Mrs. Gish will leave by train for an extended visit in Kansas where they will be guests of their two sons and seven of their 15 grandchildren.

Entertain At Buffet Supper For Couple

Rev. and Mrs. John Taylor, 1542 El Prado, were hosts at a lovely buffet supper last Tuesday evening honoring Mrs. Taylor's sister, Miss Dorothy Norvell, and her fiancé, Robert L. Goodale.

The bride-elect's colors, pink and white, were used in the flowers and candles. Two cakes in the form of wedding rings bearing the inscription "With This Ring I Thee Wed" and "To Love and Cherish" were served at the dessert course.

Immediately following the supper a wedding rehearsal was held at the church.

Enjoying the event with Rev. and Mrs. Taylor and their daughters, Kathleen, Marilyn and Virginia, were Rev. and Mrs. Phillip Norvell of San Jacinto, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Goodale, parents of the honor couple; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodale and Patricia, Barbara and Vicki; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Norvell and Patty and David, and wedding party members Messrs. and Mmes. Robert Reid, Frank Fisher Sr., Carl Bowers, M. M. Schwab; Mrs. Richard Brundin, Rev. Don Shelby and his mother, Mrs. Shelby.



RECEIVING GOOD WISHES . . . from more than 65 friends is Tommy Quaggin, who was selected by the local American Field Service chapter to study in Europe this summer. Tommy was honored at a coffee given at the Snodgrass home on Beech Ave. last Wednesday morning. Pictured with Tommy, at the left, is his godmother, Mrs. Charles Brownish, and at his right, his mother, Mrs. B. W. Roberts and Mayor Albert Isen. Co-hostesses at the coffee were Mmes. K. D. Figgins, R. Bingham and A. G. Solomon.

(Herald Photo)

Tommy Quaggin, Selected by AFISIS to Study in Europe, Is Honored at Coffee Hour

Taking an opportunity to express appreciation and support of the American Field Service program in Torrance a coffee hour was given honoring Tommy Quaggin who has been selected by the Torrance AFISIS chapter to study in Europe this summer.

Hostesses for the coffee hour, which was held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass, 1614 Beech St., were Mrs. K. D. Figgins, Mrs. R. Bingham and Mrs. A. G. Solomon. Sixty-five friends called to wish congratulations.

Tommy, who is a junior at Torrance High School, has won recognition as a playwright. He had the prize-winning play in 1955 and again this year won the Rosemary DeCamp awards with his comedy "150 Years to Learn" and a drama "Clock." The Redondo High School has asked permission to present his comedy "150 Years to Learn."

The local boy is a member of the DeMolay chapter, and at the school is a Tartar Knight. He teaches Sunday school at the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Tommy, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roberts, 1609 Amapola, will sail from Montreal on June 9, three days after his 17th birthday. He will visit with relatives in Pennsylvania before sailing.

The red, white and blue motif was used in decorating for the coffee hour. Centerpiece on the table was a model ship flanked by spring flowers.

Entertains

Mrs. Philip Halloran entertained her bridge club at a luncheon and party on Friday afternoon at her home, 1640 Beech Ave.

In the bridge games following the luncheon the first prize went to Mrs. J. R. Klink, second to Mrs. Ralph McNeil, and third to Mrs. Burton Easley.

Mrs. Halloran's guests were Mmes. Gerald Eastham, Parke Montague, Robert Triplitt, C. E. Blakley, McNeil, Easley, and Klink.

Mrs. Parke Montague will be hostess to the club at its next meeting.

TO SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. W. A. Wright, president of the Torrance PTA Council, and Mrs. Eldon Morgan, Evelyn Carr PTA president, will attend the national PTA convention to be held in San Francisco from May 20-23. They will stay at the Mark Hopkins hotel.

ALUMNAE MEETING

The next meeting of the Kappa Delta South Bay Alumnae Assn. will be held Wednesday, May 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of the president, Mrs. Roy Young, 27025 Dapplegray Lane, Rolling Hills.



WORK OR PLAY . . . Mr. and Mrs. John McVey, at the left, and Grand Knight Heine Miller and Mrs. Miller wave goodbye to Torrance but not for long. They are on their way to Bahia on the beach at San Diego to attend the Knights of Columbus state convention. Bahia is the headquarters for the Los Crusados Council who have 14 cabanas reserved for

the three-day affair May 18, 19 and 20. Others from the area planning to attend are Messrs. LeRoy Armstrong, Richard Burch, Louis Fucci, Clifford Hudson, Martin O'Malley, James O'Toole, Gerald Revel, George Schneider, Jack Steinberg, Lawrence Sargent and William Shook.