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Frances Barrington's Engagement Is Announced at Cocktail Party

An announcement of interest throughout the southland, due to the prominence of the bride's family, was made at a cocktail party Sunday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Barrington, 1541 Post Ave., revealed the engagement of their daughter, Frances, to Forrest Z. Riegel. Mr. and Mrs. Barrington were assisted at the party by their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barrington.

Small hearts bearing the names "Frances and Forrest" attached to the champagne glasses served to convey the romantic news to a number of friends and relatives.

Miss Barrington, whose family has resided in Torrance for the past 33 years, was graduated from the Torrance High school in 1946. She then attended El Camino College for two years before going to Mills College in Oakland from which she was graduated as an English major. Miss Barrington was "Miss Torrance" in 1946, the first year of the contest when funds were raised to build the YWCA. She is also a past honored queen of the Job's Daughters, Bethel 50.

Since her graduation at Mills, Miss Barrington has served as assistant publicity coordinator for the Ambassador Hotel.

Mr. Riegel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest M. Riegel of Emporium, Pa. He was graduated from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, Pa., and was a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. He is at present in the construction business in Los Angeles.

The wedding will be solemnized in early February.

Guests bidden to hear the engagement news last Sunday afternoon were: Messrs. and Meses. William Tolson, George Post, James Post, Robert

Leech, R. D. Bolen, Dean L. Sears, B. J. Scotton, Sam Levy, George Probert, Charles Schultz, W. W. Moody, and Mrs. J. W. Post and Mrs. Margaret Kelsey, all of Torrance.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Herbert C. Stinchfield, Los Angeles; Mrs. John F. Kelly, San Clemente; Mrs. William R. Smith, Pacoima; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Black, Hawthorne; Mrs. Margaret O'Mara, Inglewood; Mr. and Mrs. C. Scott Wilhelm, Hermosa; Mrs. Athene Lynn, Ron Chase, Pat Bennet, Charles Johnson, Manhattan Beach, and Ralph Wilcox Taylor of Palm Springs.



MRS. CARLOS MAYO
... Recites Vows
(Stanford Photo)

Miss Corinne Brandelli Is Now Mrs. Carlos Mayo

Honeymooning in Mexico City and Acapulco are Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mayo, whose wedding was a lovely event of last Saturday morning, Oct. 20, at 10 o'clock at St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church in Lomita. The bride is the former Corinne Brandelli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Brandelli, 1635 257th St. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Madeline Mayo of Avalon, Catalina Island.

Mr. Brandelli escorted his daughter to the altar. She was a beautiful bride in her coronet creation of taffeta trimmed with d'alencen re-embroidered lace. The bodice had long fitted sleeves and a scoop neckline outlined with lace encrusted with sequins. The skirt had a pannier effect of tucks at the hip line and draped into a train. A pearl tiara held the fingertip veil and the bride carried a bouquet of white butterfly orchids and stephanotis.

Honor attendant was Miss Dorothy Marrick wearing a royal blue taffeta gown. She carried a shower bouquet of white spider chrysanthemums. Miss Shirley Brandelli was the bridesmaid. She also wore

royal blue taffeta and carried white chrysanthemums.

Anthony R. Brandelli stood as best man and the 300 wedding guests were seated by Paul Marrick, Charles N. Depew, Jr., and Gene Depew.

The Rev. John V. Hegarty officiated at the vow exchange and nuptial mass. Mrs. James Willacy at the organ accompanied Mrs. Joseph Kennedy who sang "Ave Marie," "Panis Angelicus" and "On This Day."

A reception followed at the Wilmington Veterans' Hall. Following the reception, 100 relatives and close friends were entertained at dinner.

The bride is a Narbonne High School graduate. Mr. Mayo was graduated from the Avalon High School in Catalina. Upon their return the couple will establish a home in the harbor area.



MISS ELAINE KREM
... On Her Wedding Day
(Crotty photo)

Elaine Sturtz Plights Vows With Eugene Krem in Beautiful Service

Four large white baskets filled with white chrysanthemums, gladioli and stock decorated the altar of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Redondo Beach last Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the beautiful wedding ceremony in which Miss Elaine Sturtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sturtz, 5136 Carol Dr., exchanged her wedding vows with Eugene Krem, son of Mrs. Ted Kubala of Palmdale.

At the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. Mary Zoll, the more than 100 guests stood to await the entrance of the bride. On the arm of her father, she was regal in her wedding gown of orgazine taffeta and lace. The lace formed a redingote over the taffeta. The bodice of lace had a scalloped bateau neckline. Down the front of the gown was a plain panel of the taffeta with the lace overlapping in sequin and seed pearl embroidery. The full skirt fell into a taffeta and lace chapel train. The French illusion bri-

dal veil cascaded from a seed pearl and rhinestone crown and the bridal bouquet was of white roses encircling white orchids.

Miss Doris Abt wearing aqua chiffon and carrying pink carnations was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were the Misses Barbara Heger and Phyllis Smith wearing pink chiffon and carrying pink carnations.

Greg Krem served as best man and ushers were Leonard Sturtz and John Sturtz.

W. A. Kamrath, accompanied by Mrs. Zoll, sang "O Promise Me," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The Rev. Alfred Schultz officiated at the marriage ceremony.

A reception was then held at Iron's Cottage and the couple left for a honeymoon with destination undisclosed.

Their new home will be in Long Beach.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School in 1954. She then attended El Camino College where she met her husband. Mr. Krem was graduated from Washington High School. He is now employed by the Press Telegram in Long Beach.

Louise Kathleen Saurin to Marry Navy Man on Dec. 15

Mr. and Mrs. Levin James Saurin, 1731 257th St., Lomita, are today formally announcing the engagement of their daughter, Louise Kathleen, to Ted John Bylsma, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bylsma of Blaine, Wash.

The wedding will take place Dec. 15. The bride-elect is a graduate of the Oxnard (Calif.) High school. She is now employed at the Terminal Island Naval Station.

Mr. Bylsma, who was educated in Washington, is now serving with the United States Navy, stationed at Terminal Island, Long Beach.



LOUISE KATHLEEN SAURIN
... December Bride
(Virginia Studio)



MISS FRANCES BARRINGTON
... To Wed in February
(Irving Antler Photo)

Venerable Home Setting for Gala Party

Witches, hobgoblins and other assorted Halloween spirits will howl next Saturday night, Oct. 27, at the Hard Times costume party given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fay and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Venable, at the Venable home, 5419 Sharynne Lane, Seaside Ranchos.

Invitations were printed on brown paper sacks, which the guests must bring back filled with snacks for the Dutch lunch to be served later. The evening will begin with suitable ceremonies around a cauldron of Witches Brew. Thus fortified, the guests will go forth in teams of six on a scavenger hunt, no husbands and wives on the same team.

When the teams return, prizes will be awarded and the late supper will be served amid surroundings decorated with a Halloween theme. After the hostesses have served dessert and coffee, there will be games and dancing.

The guest list includes Messrs. and Meses. David Hurford, Robert Wilson, Leonard Doyle, Alexander Hunt, Fred Buxton, Paul Roettger, Eugene Miller, Henry Schmalz, Carl Wolf, George Betus, Merlin Aldred, William Schukman, James Barnard, Jess Whitney, Higbee, and Mrs. Stanley Briggs.

FLORIDA GUESTS

Leaving last Thursday for their home in St. Petersburg, Fla., were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Siegel who has spent two weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Miller, 1628 Fern Ave. The couple had been vacationing in Washington prior to coming here. During their stay they visited Knott's Berry Farm, Disneyland, Marineland and all the places of interest.

HOUSEGUESTS AT LENNARTZ HOME

Guests for the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Lennartz were Dr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Davis of Alden, N.Y. While here Mr. and Mrs. Lennartz entertained at a dinner party for their guests who were celebrating their 19th wedding anniversary. They also enjoyed places of interest during their stay.

Week end guests at the Lennartz home were Mrs. Clara S. Heisenbuttle, past supreme high priestess Lebanon White Shrine of New York and Miss Mae Stateman of Los Angeles.

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Linhart and their children, Margaret, Ann and John, have moved into their new home at 4801 Via El Sereno, Torrance. They formerly lived at 120 Via Alameda, Hollywood Riviera.

Club Frolic Saturday

Los Flestadores Dance Club will stage a festive Halloween costume dance next Saturday evening, Oct. 27, at 9 p.m. at the La Venta Inn in Palos Verdes.

There will be prizes for the most original costumes. An orchestra will furnish music for dancing.

Hostesses for the event are Messrs. and Meses. Robert F. Almond, J. A. Barrington, C. L. Blakley and R. D. Boin.

TO VIRGINIA

Mrs. Charles Carter Chase and her son, William C. Chase, 2144 Calle de Arboles, are leaving the city permanently to return to their farm in Warsaw, Va. They have been active members of the St. Francis Episcopal Church.



MISS BETTY MORRIS
... Makes Promises
(Portrait by Seaman)

Betty Morris' Betrothal to Louis Lisoni Is Announced

Joining the ranks of local brides-elect is Miss Betty Morris, whose engagement to Louis Lisoni is being announced today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Morris, 5311 Reese Rd. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lisoni, 2004 Andrea.

Miss Morris is a senior at Torrance High school where she is a member of the Scholarship Society.

Mr. Lisoni was graduated from the local high school in June 1956. He is owner of a Torrance market. No definite date has been set for the wedding.