

**ON VACATION**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jay R. Stroh, 3213 Antonio, left Monday morning for a two weeks vacation at Las Vegas and Lake Mead.

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**TEA TIME IN A BEAUTIFUL SETTING...** is pictured here as members of the Longren Woman's Club gather around the table in the patio last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hampden Wentworth on Portuguese Bend Road in Rolling Hills to welcome prospective members. Enjoying the delightful affair in the picturesque

patio are (from left) Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Mrs. George Kuehnel, Mrs. James Monro (seated). Others are (from left) Mrs. C. S. Russac, Mrs. John Podgurski, Mrs. James Monro, Jr., Mrs. Edward Mobley, and Mrs. Earl R. Truscott. Mrs. Bill Rose served as chairman of the tea. This club is comprised of the wives of the Longren Associates.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARENTS**

All parents and persons interested in establishing a sheltered workshop and a recreation program for the mentally retarded in the South Bay and Centinela Valley areas are urged to attend a meeting to be held at the Foursquare Church, 311 W. Broadway, Hawthorne, on May 20, 7:30 p.m.

**Lioness Club**  
Lioness Club held its regular business meeting last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. William King, 25930 Matfield Ave., with Mrs. Milton Isbell as co-hostess.

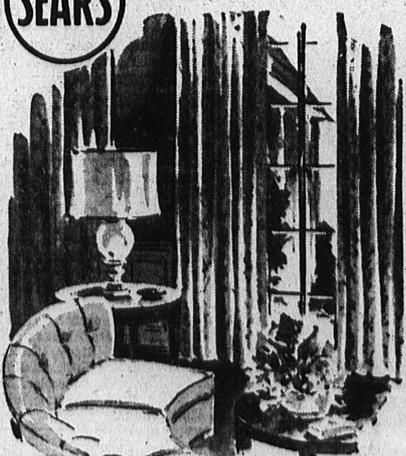
**Club Garden Section Cops Show Prizes**  
Garden section of the Torrance Woman's Club copped honors last week end at the Greenthumb Garden Club show. The first prize and a cup was awarded the Garden section for its floor display. The African violet entered by Mrs. S. J. Dunhouse won the first blue ribbon in the potted plant division and the specimen rose blooms entered by Mrs. Thuss won two first prizes, two second prizes, two third prizes and one honorable mention.

**NEW SQUARE DANCE CLASS**  
Sea-Aire Stars will start a beginners' class in square dancing on Saturday, May 18, from 8 until 11 p.m. in the Sea-Aire Fieldhouse, Reynolds and Lupine Dr. This class will continue for 15 weeks. It will be closed to new dancers after the fourth week. Round dances will also be taught. Caller is Clarence Barrow. This group is sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Dept.

**Club Garden Section Cops Show Prizes**  
The group planned to tour the La Fuchsia Nursery in Long Beach and then have lunch at Welch's restaurant on May 22.  
The door prize was won by Mrs. H. C. Sandberg. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

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**Longren Club Entertains at Lovely Tea**

The beautiful home of Mrs. Hampden Wentworth, 36 Portuguese Bend Road, Rolling Hills, provided an exquisite setting for the tea given by the Longren Woman's Club last Saturday afternoon. The tea was given to welcome prospective members. The club membership is composed of the wives of Longren associates.

Yellow roses flanked by candleabra holding yellow tapers decorated the tea table. Mrs. Wentworth presided at the tea service and Mrs. James Monro, club president, at the coffee service. The tea table was arranged on the spacious patio.

Mrs. Bill Rose served as chairman of the tea. She was assisted by Mrs. Earl Truscott, Mrs. John Podgurski and Mrs. George E. Kuehnel. Mrs. Jack Ferguson presided at the guest book.

**Altar Society Entertains New Members**

Regular monthly meeting of the Nativity Altar Society held Tuesday, May 7 was presented under a new format. Intended primarily to introduce and entertain new members, get-acquainted games were played with prizes going to Mmes. E. W. Berning, K. D. Brennan, William J. McDonald and G. A. Loew. Mrs. T. M. Herrin won the door prize.

Refreshments were served from buffet tables decorated with pastel floral arrangements and candles. Hostesses for the evening were officers of the society. Mmes. K. F. Kale, S. Felix, H. L. Glass and W. J. Nesson.

During the business meeting, final plans were made for the society's semi-annual rummage sale to be held June 7 and 8 at the parish hall, 1420 Cota Ave.



MR., MRS. JOHN STROB ... At Anniversary Party

**Mr., Mrs. John Strob Mark 40th Wedding Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. John Strob celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary last Saturday evening when their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Strob, entertained at a cocktail buffet at their home, 3213 Antonio.

The senior Mr. Strob served with the Torrance Police Department for 30 years. He was retired in 1954. The couple were married May 13, 1917, in Loveland, Colo. They came to Torrance in January 1924. Mr. Strob served as sergeant, captain, and then became director of public safety for the police and fire departments in 1934. Two years later he was named chief of police, a position he held until retired.

They are parents of Miss Lucille Strob of Compton, who is a policewoman, and a son, Jay, who is a sergeant for the Los Angeles county deputy sheriff. The Strob family represents 52 years of police work. At last Saturday's party, their daughter Lucille was a co-hostess.

Torrance friends attending were: Messrs. and Mmes. Carl C. Benner, William E. Benner, Bob Haggard, Willard Haslam, William Deisel, J. S. McMullin, Maurice Foreman, Swayne A. Johnson; Mrs. Vera Hensen, and Miss Cassie Hansen; also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Showalter of Downey.

Mrs. Jay Strob is the former Jackie Johnson. She and Mr. Strob announced their engagement at the senior Strob's 36th wedding anniversary.



**CHECKING THEIR GUEST LISTS...** for the Epsilon Xi chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma sorority's "May Starlite Dance" to be held Saturday evening at the Palos Verdes Country Club are (from left) Mrs. Franklin Briles, dance chairman; Mrs. Donald Hauser, welfare secretary, and Mrs. William Gill, chapter president. Proceeds from the dance will go to the Spastic Children's Foundation, Los Angeles.

**Sorority Starlite Dance For Spastic Foundation**

Spastic Children's Foundation, Los Angeles, will benefit from the May Starlite Dance to be held Saturday evening, May 18, at the Palos Verdes Country Club, 3301 Via Campesina. The event is being staged by Epsilon Xi chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma sorority.

The Continentals will furnish the music for dancing. The dance committee is composed of Mmes. Franklin Briles, Walter Peterson, Donald Hauser, Harold Drew and Joseph Moore.

The door prize will be a trip for two to Las Vegas with accommodations at the El Rancho Vegas.

Proceeds will go to a fund to assist the parents of spastic children in the foundation who take active part in the administration of the foundation and also assist in therapy treatment for the children.

Among those who are planning to attend the dance are: Judge and Mrs. John Shidler, Dr. and Mrs. Herschel Kopp, Messrs. and Mmes. Harlan Pick, Harry Spraker, A. Williams, Lou Szabo, Robert Herick, Harold Drew, Walter Peterson and Franklin Briles.

**Beau Jardin Create Hats At Meeting**

"Create Your Own" was the instruction given to the members of the Beau Jardin Garden Club when they met at the home of Mrs. John Carriaveau, 22544 Susana Ave. with Mrs. Kenneth Harmon, co-hostess.

Mrs. Donald Drobbaugh gave the instructions as members entered a flower hat-making contest. The program chairman distributed paper plates, ribbons, crepe paper, floss, staples, thread and scissors. Judging took place at the close of the evening and Mrs. John Beattie's creation took the prize, a plant.

The president, Mrs. John Carriaveau, presented the past president, Mrs. L. D. Burt, with the scrapbook of the club as a token of appreciation. Mrs. L. D. Burt thanked the club and then presented Mrs. Carriaveau with the National Council's president's pin.

A flower spelling bee was held with Mrs. Kenneth Moe as champ and winner of a hibiscus. Mrs. Moe also won a lemon tree and Mrs. James Statler won the door prize, a hydrangea.

Refreshments were served. Present at the meeting were Mmes. John Beattie, L. D. Burt, John Carriaveau, Donald Drobbaugh, Kenneth Harmon, Robert Hill, Kenneth Moe, John Regan, William Singery, Fred Worgul, and Albert Yackie. Guest present was Mrs. James Statler.

The next meeting of the club will be held May 22, at the home of Mrs. William Singery, 22509 Warmside Ave., with Mrs. Singery and Mrs. Kenneth Moe as hostesses.

**GUILD MEETING**

St. Cecilia's Guild of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church was entertained at the recently remodeled and redecorated vicarage with Mrs. Hugh Percy, wife of the pastor, as hostess.

Mrs. Don Wolf, president, conducted a business meeting. Mrs. Percy was then presented with a shower of dish towels. Refreshments were served to the 18 members in attendance.

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