



(Danny Mello Photo)
MRS. LEONARD SIMPSON
 ... ON HONEYMOON

Darlene Crowder Becomes Bride of Leonard Simpson

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Crowder, 1535 Rolling Knolls Dr. in Harbor City was the setting for the marriage ceremony uniting their daughter, Miss Darlene Crowder, and Leonard E. Simpson, 921 Bay View, Wilmington. The wedding took place at 8 p.m. on Friday, March 14, with the Rev. Robert A. Wells officiating.

The place of ceremony was marked with baskets of white chrysanthemums and stock.

Mr. Crowder escorted his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. She wore a gown of white lace over satin. It was ballerina length and had three quarter sleeves. Her short illusion veil was held by a pearl tiara and she carried a bouquet of white orchids atop a white Bible.

Mrs. G. E. Posey was the matron of honor. She wore a red silk sheath dress and carried pink carnations.

G. E. Posey stood as best man.

After the wedding, a reception was held and the couple left for a honeymoon trip to San Francisco and Oregon. Their new address will be 1430 W. Anaheim St., Wilmington.

The bride was graduated from Narbonne High School in 1956. She is employed by the Pacific Telephone Co.

Her husband was graduated from the Pecos Texas High school. He attended Harbor Junior College and the College of Sequoia in Visalia.

Aunts and uncles of the bride attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Singleton of Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tobey of Torrance.

REPRESENT CLUB

Two localities represented the Torrance Woman's Club at the parliamentary law and federation workshop for the Marina District held Thursday at the Venice Woman's Club. From Torrance were Mrs. R. E. Moffitt and Mrs. John Thuss.



(Stanford Photo)
MRS. ROBERT MONRO
 ... Weds March 9

Thompson - Monro Vows Are Recited in Home Service

Miss Sherian Thompson exchanged her wedding vows with Robert Monro in a six o'clock ceremony on Sunday evening March 9 at the home of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Bertha Monro, 27010 Dapplegray Lane, Rolling Hills. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson, 24339 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita.

Bishop Ware of the Lomita Ward of the Mormon Church officiated at the marriage which took place before the flower banked fireplace.

For her wedding, the bride wore a tweed sports ensemble and a white orchid corsage. She was given in marriage by her father.

Miss Elgie Wightman, wearing a pink street dress and a corsage of pink and white carnations, was the maid of honor. Jim Firlot stood as best man. Immediately following the

wedding, the fifteen guests attending were entertained at dinner at the Polynesian restaurant. The couple spent a honeymoon in Carmel and San Francisco and are now at home with the bridegroom's mother. The new Mrs. Monro is attending Narbonne High and will be graduated in June. Her husband, son of Robert Monro, Sr., of Akron, Ohio, was graduated from Narbonne in 1955. He is now attending USC majoring in engineering.



SYMBOL OF ACHIEVEMENT... Mrs. John Schwartz, president of the Torrance Junior Woman's club presents a check for \$1000 to Hal Laudeman, representative of the Torrance Scout Center, as Mrs. Barton Tatum, philanthropy chairman, looks on. The Torrance Scout Center, which is now under construction, is the philanthropic endeavor of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club.

SQUARE DANCE PARTY SLATED

The Buds and Blooms Square Dance Club of Harbor City will hold their second anniversary party next Saturday, 8 p.m., at the Lomita Park gym, 24410 Eshelman Ave.

More than 350 persons attended last year's event and an even larger crowd is expected to be on hand for the second party.

Host Caller Dick Riggs will be assisted by a number of guest callers and refreshments and door prizes will be offered.

Mental Health DAR Subject

Mental health bills were discussed by Mrs. Harry A. Trafert, national defense chairman, Gaviota chapter, DAR, at the meeting of the Susan B. Anthony DAR chapter at the Pacific Coast Club on March 16. Mrs. Thomas J. McClendon, regent, presided.

Miss Mildred Murphy gave reports on the DAR state conferences held in Los Angeles.

Pilot Club Names New Officers

Mrs. Clara Dougherty of Manhattan Beach will serve as president of the Torrance Pilot Club during the year 1958-59. Mrs. Dougherty is a charter member of the local club and has served as corresponding secretary and as first vice president and coordinating committee chairman. She has been secretary with the law firm of Mewborn & Hitchcock in Torrance for the past four years.

Other elected officers are: Miss Mae Sleep, first vice president; Mrs. Violet Whittington, second vice president; Mrs. Mary Young, recording secretary; Mrs. Mildred Krueger, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mildred Mitchell, treasurer. Mrs. Adel Burchfield has been elected a two-year director.

Dedicated to "friendship and service," the club has adopted a ward at the Harbor General Hospital and each month several members visit the patients, taking baskets of fruit, candy, magazines, etc. All the members of the club assisted in addressing, stuffing and sorting for mailing several thousand envelopes for the Crippled Children's Society Easter Seal campaign.

The new officers will be installed at their regular program meeting in April. Several members are planning to attend the district convention to be held in Yosemite National Park April 18-20.

LOCAL JUNIORS TO ATTEND MEETING

The final district roundtable for Juniors presidents and officers will be held tomorrow evening at the Santa Monica Bay Women's clubhouse.

Attending from the Torrance Junior Woman's Club will be Mrs. John Schwartz, president; Mrs. J. G. Louvier, president-elect; Mrs. C. L. Briner, district historian; Mrs. George Blahnik, district mental health chairman; and Mrs. James Lees, dean of chairmen.

ATTENDS LUNCHEON

Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, president of the Torrance Woman's Club, attended the federation and reciprocity luncheon and meeting of the Hawthorne Club last Tuesday.



LORA LEE STURGILL
 ... Sets Wedding Date

Torrance High Seniors Set July 11 as Wedding Date

Romantic news involving two popular Torrance High School seniors was revealed this week when the engagement of Lora Lee Sturgill and Kenneth Maurice Hall was announced.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Sturgill, 340 Calle de Andalucia; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin M. Hall, 1833 Reynosa Ave., are parents of the benedict-elect.

Miss Sturgill is a senior class officer, a flag twirler and member of the Tri-Hi-Y on the local campus while her fiance was captain of the varsity football team.

The two will be married July 11 at the Church of Jesus Christ, Latter-Day Saints, in San Pedro.



(Croty Photo)
MRS. LEE BLAKELY
 ... Wedding Announced

Sharon Conner Is Married To Lee Blakely on March 1

Coming as a surprise to their many friends is the announcement of the wedding of Miss Sharon Conner, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conner, 1915 Andreo and Lee Blakely, son of Mrs. Albert Smith of San Pedro.

The wedding was solemnized at Winterhaven, Calif., on March 1 by the Rev. Jack L. Neville, Sr.

Mrs. Donna Blakely was the matron of honor and Monte Blakely served as his brother's best man.

Following a honeymoon through Mexico and Southern California, the newlyweds are now at home at 1915 Andreo.

The bride is a student at Torrance High School and will be graduated in June. The bridegroom is a graduate of San Pedro High School and El Camino College. He also served overseas with the armed forces and is now in business with his brother in San Pedro.

FOURSOME

A recent dinner foursome at the Plush Horse restaurant were Judge and Mrs. Otto B. Willett of Hollywood Riviera, and Mr. and Mrs. William E. McFaden of Redondo Beach.

DINNER GUESTS

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dean last Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reing and three children of Hawthorne.

Squirettes of Normandale Aid Red Cross

The Squirettes Girls Club of Normandale playground joined the Red Cross drive last Thursday night as they volunteered to solicit contributions from door to door in the section near the playground assigned to them.

This was done in lieu of the usual recreational period at their regular meeting.

The business meeting was conducted by Miss Ernie Eredia, president. Mrs. Dorothy Yoshitani, the club's new sponsor, was introduced to the girls who discussed plans for a Red Cross benefit dance in the near future.

Membership in the club is open to all teenage girls who desire to meet socially to benefit themselves and the community. The club meets each Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Normandale playground, 224th St. and Halldale Ave.

Native Daughters Brunch Today to Aid Foundation

Children's Foundation of the Golden West will benefit from a brunch scheduled for Sunday, March 23. It will be held in the ballroom of the Beverly Hilton Hotel at 10:30 a.m. All Native Daughter parlors in the southern part of the state are joining together to sponsor this event, the first affair of its kind to be held in this area.

Miss Jewel McSweeney, past grand president and state chairman of the foundation, will be the speaker of the day and will give a resume of current activities of the foundation.

The general chairman is Mrs. Louis Hansen of Glendale, a past grand president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West. She is assisted by Mmes. Guy Barton of Long Beach, Dale Porter, and Glenn Hite of Inglewood.

Others assisting with plans are Mmes. Lyndon Wilkey, secretary; Fred Wilson, decorations; Vincent La Berge,

hostesses; Herman Glendon, program; Irvin Huffman, publicity, and Miss Ruth Payne, reservations.

Mrs. William Rozaire, first vice president of Tierra del Rey parlor, Hermosa Beach, Native Daughters of the Golden West, is Children's Foundation chairman for the parlor. Mrs. Don Smith is president of Tierra del Rey parlor.

The Children's Foundation project was started in June 1952. It is set up to assist children under 16 years of age with medical, surgical, dental and psychiatric care. Among some of the other services it has furnished are braces and wheel chairs for crippled children and summer camp for blind children. Since its inception the foundation has considered nearly 400 cases.

The project is unique in the fact it assists children of parents unable to qualify for welfare aid and yet cannot afford the necessary care for their children. The foundation has helped countless children throughout the state of California in its five and a half years of existence.

WINTER SPORTS

Winter sports was the topic of conversation at the Plush Horse restaurant when Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Lucero of Torrance, back from a skiing holiday at Yosemite and Mt. Baldy, entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dusek Jr., of Hollywood Riviera and Mrs. Marion Merriehew of Redondo Beach.

It's the 'Chemise' Look for Hair, Too

By VONDA CARLTON

New spring styles may have father shaking his head in amazement and confuse him to the point he thinks he's back in the Roarin' '20s.

If milady shakes her head, it will be not in amazement-but to show off that new hair style that goes with the new/old chemise dress.

For believe it or not... the chemise look is the current rage in hair styles.

Gone are the curls, long hair, chignons, poney tails, even last year's casual Italian cut.

In its place comes a sleek, studied casual look. Hair must follow the contour of the head and soft half-curls frame the face.

Hair styles tend to be straight featuring an off-balance line crowns and parts, according to Anna Sprouse, local hair stylist.

Recalling the styles so popular in the 1920's the local woman urged the abundant use of sprays to keep the new "chemise" hairdo in place.

"Hair sprays are a far cry from what we used back in the '20's" she said. "Then, we used sugar and water to hold the 'spit curls' in place."

Instead of wave set, the chemise-clad beauties used boiled flax seed.

Color Important
 Colors are playing an important part in today's styles, she added.

Most colors lean toward the beige side, with champagne, rose and buttercup gold tones used to highlight milady's tresses.

Last year's popular blues and silvers are taboo this season.

During the holiday season or for extremely special



THE OFF BALANCE LOOK... For the new "chemise" heading the fashion parade this spring, the hairdo must have a more "bouffant" or "broken line" look as is worn by this model.