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BLACK AND GOLD BALL... Mother's Club of Bishop Montgomery High School will sponsor a dance May 17 at the Palos Verdes Country Club. Proceeds from the event will go to the athletic fund. Making gold stars for decorations are from left, Mrs. G. E. Gordon, chairman; Mrs. Ed St. Amand, Mrs. Elmo Steinway and Mrs. Joseph Moore.

LOCALITIES AT HOPE BANQUET

Attending the semi-annual banquet of the City of Hope at the Embassy Hotel last Sunday evening were Messrs. and Mmes. W. C. Boswell, Dean Sears, and Walter West.

Mr. Bosewell was introduced as president of one of the seven new City of Hope auxiliaries. He presented a check to the hospital from the newly-organized Torrance auxiliary.

IN PALM SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Muhleck, 1645 Juniper Ave., accompanied by Mrs. John Hogan and Kathy spent the week end in Palm Springs as guests of the Muhlecks' son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Muhleck.

'Headdress Fantasy' Scheduled for May 1

"Nursery Rhymes" will be the theme of the second annual "Headdress Fantasy" to be staged by the Torrance Woman's Club on May 7 at the clubhouse. The fancy headdress parade will be held at 11 a.m. and luncheon will follow.

Mrs. V. D. Benard and Mrs. J. A. Tweedy are general chairmen of this year's event. Other chairmen, are Mrs. E. L. Snodgrass, luncheon; Mrs. Don Wolf, program; Mrs. Sid Gans, table decorations; Mrs. G. C. Van Deventer, favor menus; and Mrs. Delbert Thomsen, tickets and publicity.

Rules for the judging as released by the chairmen are as follows:

Hats to be in one of four categories: Most Beautiful; Most Original; Zany or Comical; and Theme.

Contestants to be limited to Senior and Junior Club members. Hats to be at least 75 per cent fresh flowers, foliage, vegetables, or fruit and must be worn on head.

Hats to be made by contestants—no professional assistance.

Hats to be titled if possible. (Notify registrar at desk in lobby in which category you wish to enter. Only one category to a contestant).

Judges for the sweepstakes winner and winner in each category are Mrs. Lynn Moore, president of the Hawthorne Woman's Club; Mrs. J. C. Vandegrift, president of the Redondo Beach Women's Club, and Mrs. R. O. Young, of Hermosa Beach, district director of 2-A California Garden Club, Inc.

Early reservations for this event are requested and may be made by calling Mrs. Delbert Thomsen.



MISS BARBARA GILL
... Future Mrs. Beeman

John Albert Beeman to Wed Virginian Aug. 16

Of interest throughout the Southland is the announcement being made today by Mr. and Mrs. William Albert Gill, of Alexandria, Va., of the engagement and wedding plans of their daughter, Barbara, to John Albert Beeman, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Beeman, 1518 El Prado Ave.

The wedding will be solemnized Aug. 16 at the Trinity Methodist Church in Alexandria.

The bride-elect was graduated from the George Washington High School and the University of Virginia School of Nursing, receiving her BS degree. She is now head nurse at the Department of Psychiatry at George Washington University High School.

The benedict-elect is a graduate of Torrance High School. He received his pre-medical education at Occidental College, graduating with a bachelor's degree. Mr. Beeman is now attending the George Washington University School of Medicine. He is a member of Phi Chi, medical fraternity, and an honorary member of Kappa Gamma fraternity at Galludet College in Washington.

The future bridegroom has asked his father, Dr. Beeman, to stand as best man at the wedding and his sister, Miss Janet Beeman will be one of the honor attendants.

Jeanne Steigh Exchanges Vows With R. A. Mitchell

In a mid-afternoon ceremony last Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church in San Pedro, Miss Jeanne Marie Steigh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Steigh, 2219 254th St., Lomita, became the bride of Robert Allen Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Westfall, 238th St., Torrance.

Dr. G. Henry Brown, pastor, officiated at the marriage before a flower-banked altar. Mrs. Dorothy Searcy, at the organ, played the wedding marches and accompanied Stanley Brummel, who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, wearing a French Chantilly lace gown over satin, approached the altar on the arm of her father. The gown had a jeweled neckline and full skirt en train. Her French illusion veil cascaded from a tiara and she carried a white prayer book and white orchids.

Miss Joan Steigh was the maid of honor wearing yellow satin and net and carrying a basket of yellow carnations.

Bridesmaids were Misses Cynthia Pederson, Jeri Hanley, and Pamela Adams. Their gowns were of green taffeta and net and each carried a basket of carnations.

Richard Mitchell stood as best man and ushers were Pete Mitchell, Jack Patterson and Harold Scott.

A reception for the 400 wedding guests was held in the church hall where Penny Goethals registered the guests. Assisting at the reception were Connie Russell, Janet Kirsch, Georgia Scopas, Mary Ann Frisino and Eleanore Westfall.

After a honeymoon in Las Vegas, the couple will be at home at 2148 233rd Pl., Lomita.

The bride was graduated



Stanford Photo
MRS. ROBT. MITCHELL
... April Bride

'Black and Gold' Ball At PV on May 17

Plans for the first annual "Black and Gold" Ball to be held Saturday evening, May 17, at Palos Verdes Country Club highlighted discussions at a meeting of the Mothers' Club of Bishop Montgomery High School Monday evening. Mrs. Joseph Moore, chairman, presided at the meeting held in the library of the school located at 5430 Torrance Blvd.

The large attendance at these meetings indicates a great parent interest in the school and in the students, who come from various communities in the entire bay area.

Mrs. Moore announced that there would be an election of officers at the May meeting, to be followed at a later date with a formal installation of the elected officers.

The Rev. Laurence Liz, O.F.M., director of athletics, gave a comprehensive talk on the athletic program in the school. The school has joined the C.I.F. (California Interscholastic Federation) and plans participation in a number of categories, among them basketball, baseball and football. Spring training for football will start next week.

The Rev. Michael McNulty, principal of the school, announced that the students had

taken the Iowa Test of Educational Development, and had scored most favorably in the national average for second semester ninth graders.

Otis Hargis, of Redondo Beach was elected honorary president for the month of May, and Father McNulty won the door prize.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served at a table artistically decorated by Mrs. Margaret Carroll of Gardena. The mothers of Father Benedict's room were hostesses: Mmes. Gregory Gordon, of Torrance; Alfred Green, of Manhattan Beach; Walter J. Hartnett, of Rolling Hills and Ernest Kardoz, of Lawndale.

IN PASADENA

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Pyeatt, 3226 Onrado Ave., attended a Visual Training Forum in Pasadena, April 12, 13, and 14.

Bohannon-Daldoss Rites Are Read at Palos Verdes Church

Palos Verdes Neighborhood Church was the setting last Saturday evening at 7 o'clock for the wedding of Miss Cubie Rose Bohannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Bohannon, 2202 Arlington Ave., and Lee Daldoss, of Long Beach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Daldoss, of McIntyre, Pennsylvania.

As the guests assembled, Elaine Olson, organist, played a prelude of nuptial music. She accompanied the soloist, Mike Suni, as he sang "Yours" and "Because of You."

Mr. Bohannon walked to the altar with his daughter. She wore a gown of Chantilly lace and net fashioned with a fitted bodice and full skirt which fell into a train. A crown tiara held her fingertip veil and she carried white orchids and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Dale Harris was the matron of honor. Her gown was of Chantilly lace over orchid taffeta. Vanda orchids made up her bouquet.

Mrs. Irma Morris and Mrs. Rudy Van Trease were the bridesmaids. They wore white diamond net over pink taffeta and carried pink rosebuds.

Sar Daldoss stood as his brother's best man and ushers were Fred Ardivini and Don Cavacinni.

Dr. H. Miller, pastor of the Community Church of Manhattan Beach, officiated at the marriage.

A reception followed at the Sons of Italy hall in Inglewood. The wedding cake was served by the bride's sister, Mrs. Florence Hawks, of Whittier. Guests were registered by Miss Inez Bay.

The newlyweds are on a month's honeymoon. They are driving to Pennsylvania to visit the bridegroom's parents. On the return trip they will visit the bride's sister in Arkansas.

They plan to make their home in Torrance.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School. She is employed at Columbia Steel. Her bridegroom is co-owner of The Palms store in Torrance.

Lynda Davenport Becomes Bride of Ronald Calkins

Honeymooning in Catalina are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Benjamin Calkins, who were married last Thursday, April 17, in a formal wedding at the First Methodist Church in Torrance. Mrs. Calkins is the former Lynda Lee Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davenport, 908 Portola Ave.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Calkins, 120 Via La Circola, Torrance.

The Rev. John Taylor, pastor, officiated at the marriage and Mrs. Taylor presided at the organ. Rev. Don Shelby sang "The Lord's Prayer" and the Wedding Benediction.

Mr. Davenport walked to the altar with his daughter and gave her in marriage. She was lovely in her full skirted wedding gown of nylon tulle with inserts of French Alencon lace. The skirt fell into a short train. Another detail was the white satin cummerbund. A crown of crushed tulle caught the bride's fingertip veil and she carried a bouquet of orchids.

Miss Karen Davenport was her sister's maid of honor. She wore a white brocaded taffeta with a turquoise cummerbund. She carried a bouquet of turquoise daisies.

Mrs. Jack Johnson and Miss Karen Hester were bridesmaids. Their gowns were also of white taffeta with coral and lavender cummerbunds. They carried matching bouquets.

Robert Calkins stood as his brother's best man and ushers



Portrait by Seeman
MRS. R. B. CALKINS
... Recites Lines
were Charles Reece and Lloyd Finch.

At the reception held at the church, Miss Myra Pitts registered the guests.

Both the bride and bridegroom are students at El Camino College. They were graduated from Torrance High School in 1956. The newlyweds will establish a Torrance home.

Torrance Club Members Off to District Convention

"Friendship, a Measure of Our Growth," theme for the second annual convention of Marina District 18, California Federation of Women's Clubs in session April 28, 29 and 30, at the Miramar Hotel in Santa Monica, will be put into action as hundreds of clubwomen from the area convene.

Mrs. Emanuel Goerz, who ends her second year as district president and her board will be hostesses at an open house in the president's suite to begin the culmination of the year's activities on April 28.

Election of district officers will be held and a program of well known speakers has been planned.

Mrs. Lee A. McCoy, of Torrance, will be in charge of credentials and Mrs. H. L. Mitchell of the local club, financial secretary, will give her report.

At the Tuesday afternoon session, Mrs. B. D. Reece, president of the junior membership, CWFC, will bring her report to the sponsoring clubs of the senior district.

On Wednesday, Mrs. Guy J. Nelson, CFWC president, who is nearing the end of her two year term, will install district officers.

At this time, the Marina District will consider the adoption of a resolution submitted by the Neptunian Club of Manhattan Beach, which protests the closing of the coast road by the new Marina Yacht Harbor at Playa del Rey.

Attending the convention from Torrance will be: Mmes. R. E. Moffitt, president; Don Wolf, president-elect; J. P. Bay, H. G. Stevens, Don Quinlivan, J. L. Clifford, John Thuss, Frank Fittin, Lee A. McCoy, and H. L. Mitchell.



IT'S CONVENTION TIME—Santa Monica's Miramar Hotel is the destination for delegates from the Torrance Woman's Club where the Marina District convention will be under way Monday through Wednesday. Seen here as they prepare for the jaunt are from left, Mrs. Don Wolf, Mrs. H. G. Stevens and Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, president.



Portrait by Seeman
MRS. LEE DALDOSS
... On Honeymoon