

Pay Tribute

Sobada Officers Given the 'Broom'

Sobada Dance Club honored its retiring committee with a dinner dance Saturday evening in the Crystal room at the Palms restaurant. Honored were Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Petrat and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coleman. The yearly affair also features the installation of the new committee. They are

Messrs. and Mmes. Carl Randall, president; Don McCalman, secretary; and Les DeMott, treasurer.

Social pleasantries followed by a steak dinner started the evening of fun and dancing with Kenny Perkins and his band playing for the dance. Highlight of the evening was the turning over of the traditional "brooms" to the new committee for their first "broom" dance.

Members attending were Messrs. and Mmes. R. K. Petrat, Tom Coleman, Cliff Tre-

zise, Hal Smith, Murray Rudnick, Bub Hebson, Cliff Graybehl, Cal Clark, Sid Gans, Gil Derouin, Marvin Goetsch, Phil Korman, Robert Moffitt, Jack Miller.

Also, Messrs. and Mmes. Les DeMott, Carl Randall, Gerald MacDonald, Don McCalman, Jack Dabbs, Ed Schwartz, Bob Cosby, Laurence Derouin, Vern Lovelady, Joe Doss, Bill Luzan, Regis Jones, Reid Bundy, Hal Massie and Clyde Anderson.

Eta Kappas Entertain Council

Eta Kappa Chapter of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority was hostess to the Mira Costa Council at the Cockatoo Restaurant on June 18. Audrey Stewart, president of the Mira Costa Council, conducted the business meeting during which the dance to be held in November was planned. Proceeds from this affair go to the State Philanthropic fund which aids the Angel View Crippled Children's Foundation, Inc., Desert Hot Springs.

Open discussion was held on the best ways the chapters have found for rushing pledges. Guests of the Council were Alice Preamo and Hazel Wheeler.

The door prize, jewelry, was won by Mrs. Donald Wennerstrom of the Alpha Gamma chapter.

Decorations carrying out "Bird in a Gilded Cage" were done by Mrs. Vincent Mazzarao, Eta Kappa chairman, assisted by Mmes. John Meehan, Roland Stamm, Charles Leichtweiss, and Stanley McDowell. A social hour followed the meeting.



MRS. GEORGE CARTER ... Makes Promises (Portrait by Seeman)

Judie Amezcua Exchanges Vows With George Carter

Miss Judie Amezcua, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mota, 1548 W. 206th St. became the bride of George W. Carter, son of Mrs. Juanita Forrester of Venice, in a formal wedding at 4 o'clock on June 20 at the Torrance First Methodist Church. The Rev. John L. Taylor conducted the marriage ceremony.

The bride came to the altar on the arm of Mr. Mota. She wore a gown of white bridal satin, detailed with long sleeves, fitted bodice and a full skirt which fell into a chapel train. A crown of pearls held her fingertip veil and she carried white orchids and tiny rosebuds.

Miss Sharon Wnuck was the maid of honor wearing pale pink chiffon. Her bouquet was of pink roses.

Bridesmaids were Misses Margie Harbold, Vivian Rinert, Mary Weber, Cheryl Cowles and Joan Harbor. All wore lavender chiffon gowns and carried cascades of white carnations.

Leonard Carter stood as best man and ushers were Bill Davis and Barney Sorenson.

Following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The newlyweds spent a honeymoon

in Santa Barbara and are now residing in Huntington Park.

Both the bride and her husband are graduates of Gardena High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sleeth, Jr. entertained their bridge club last Saturday evening at their home, 24251 Los Cadona, in Welteria. After an evening of bridge, the hosts served a buffet supper.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woodcock, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Winkelbauer, and Mr. and Mrs. William Getzer of Garden Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodcock will entertain the club at its July meeting.

Club Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caley, 22207 Linda Dr., was returned to her home Tuesday from Torrance Hospital where she underwent major surgery.

Recuperating

Following the business meeting, a humorous skit was presented by Mrs. Andrew Janasik, Mrs. James Carlin and Mrs. James Fornelli. Mrs. Donald Bryant furnished the amusing five-note "dragnet" music accompaniment.

A festive Mexican motif was the theme of the decorations used by Mrs. Raymond Montenegro and her committee of first grade mothers who served refreshments.

Nativity Mothers Club Installs New Officers

Election of officers highlighted the June meeting of the Nativity Mothers Club. Elected and installed were Mrs. Walter Cason, president; Mrs. Fred Voeste, first vice president; Mrs. Robert Wilson, second vice president; Mrs. Raymond Montenegro, secretary; and Mrs. Marve Erickson, treasurer.

Mrs. Harry Kale, chairman of the nominating committee presented the outgoing board of officers with gifts of appreciation for their year of leadership.

Mrs. Richard Reamer, third grade chairman and Mrs. Kieran Brennan, fourth grade chairman, made reports on their highly successful social projects, the Nativity school ice cream social and the annual membership luncheon



PASSING THE BROOM... Passing of the broom for the first "broom dance" of the evening here symbolizes the passing of leadership of the Sobadas to the new committee for the year. From the left are Tom and Shirley Coleman, Roland and Dottie Petrat, Kay and Les DeMott, Don and Jerry McCalman, and Betty and Carl Randall. (Herald photo)

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

"Male Gets Neck of the Chicken"

Dear Ann Landers: I have a friend who openly brags she has had three "successful" divorces. What this means, of course, is that she cleaned up financially. I know for a fact she got a healthy settlement from her last two husbands and I assume she clipped the first bozo pretty good, too.

Her last marriage was a mockery. She is at least 25 years younger than the man, and it was no secret that she had a young boy friend on the side the whole time. Yet in court, because her husband was a gentleman, not a word was said about her hi-jinks. She sued him for "incompatibility" and got the divorce with no trouble. The settlement will keep her Cadillac in gas for the next hundred years.

This dame wasn't entitled to anything. Isn't there something wrong with the divorce laws in this country when they permit such gross injustices? —FED FRED

Dear Fed: Divorce laws vary according to the state, and I agree that many state legislatures could do a job of re-vamping. One day Granny Landers is going to tie herself down to Springfield and a plump for a more equitable set of divorce, alimony and custody laws in Illinois.

I've long felt that the male gets the neck of the chicken when he lands in the divorce court. Some may say "It's a man's world," but it's usually Papa who pays through the nose when there's a parting of the ways.

Dear Ann: What do you think of a 16-year-old girl who says to her mother, "Why don't you keep your big mouth shut and mind your own business?"

This happens sometimes when outsiders are present, and it's very embarrassing. My neighbor's daughter, who is exactly the same age as mine, wouldn't think of talking to her mother like that.

Why are some children respectful and why do others not give a fig how they talk to their mothers? I did my best to raise this girl right but I think she takes after her father's sister, who was mouthy and hard to handle. Can you help me? —INDIANAPOLIS

Dear Indianapolis: Children behave differently because they are reared differently. As the twig is bent, so grows the tree.

Your daughter didn't start at age 16 to tell you to shut your mouth. She's been talking this way for a good many years.

Children sense early how much they can get away with. It's pretty late in the game to try to get respect from your 16-year-old. But if you let her know in no uncertain terms that you refuse to tolerate such talk (and back it up with stiff punishment) you may get suits.

Dear Ann: My wife didn't (Continued on Page 12)

Arts-Crafts Meeting at Jones Home

Arts and Crafts club met last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Mae Jones in Welteria with Mrs. Cora Bohrer as co-hostesses.

The evening was spent working on various crafts and the hostesses served refreshments. Plans were made to visit an antique shop at the July meeting.

Attending were Mrs. Maybel Banks, Melvina Beckwith, Florence Childs, Vivian Cook, Leila Everly, Vena Hamilton, Ruth Haridin, Mary McDonald, Emily Middleton, Zelma Miller, Addie Parks, Ethel, Frances and Phyllis Pevery, Fran Snodgrass, and Hazel Ward.

Chapter Fetes Two Members

Two sorority sisters, Mrs. Pete Millar of Torrance, and Mrs. Wilton LeBlanc of Hawthorne were complimented at a surprise baby shower given by the Gamma Psi chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha. The affair was held at the home of Mrs. Chuck Groutage in Torrance. Appropriate games were played and Mrs. LeBlanc was presented with a money tree and Mrs. Millar was given a layette.

The beautifully decorated cake was made by Mrs. Bob Kennenich. Mrs. Don Jodrey was in charge of the event. The group also welcomed back Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker of Redondo Beach who recently returned from a tour of Europe.

Family Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Alfred and children, Kathy and Karen, twins, and Lynn are planning to leave July 9 for Chicago, where the children will visit Mr. Alfred's parents while Mr. and Mrs. Alfred go on to New York, Washington, D. C., and Cleveland. The family will be away for about three weeks.

From Birmingham

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dunlop, 903 Amapola, have had as their guests for two weeks, Mrs. Dunlop's sisters, Mrs. J. M. Carlin and Mrs. Gladys Davis, of Birmingham, Ala. The visitors left here for Mesa, Ariz., to visit their brother en route to their home.



MISS CAROLE MOORE ... Bride Elect

Engagement Announced By Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Moore, 2617 Arlington Ave., are today announcing the engagement of their daughter, Carole, to William Charles Colby, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Otto Colby, 4913 Louise Ave., Torrance.

No date has been set for the wedding.

The future bride was graduated in June from Torrance High school and plans to enter El Camino college this fall. Her fiancé was graduated from the local high school in 1958 and is now attending Long Beach State College.

At Hot Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Allen, 5227 Milne Dr., were recent weekend guests at Springborg's Glen Ivy Hot Springs near Corona.

Secretaries Install New Officers at Dinner Meet

South Bay Chapter, National Secretaries Association, installed officers for the 1959-60



FUTURE BRIDE ... Mrs. Russell Wehrhan, 3626 225th St., is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Annette, to Leonard Westling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Westling, Inglewood. No date has been set for the wedding. The bride-elect was graduated from St. Monica's Girls' School in Santa Monica in June. Her husband, a graduate of Morningside, is serving in the U. S. Army Reserve and will be stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., for the next three months.

Club Party

Greenthumbers Garden Club enjoyed a pot luck luncheon on June 11 at the home of the president, Mrs. Vincent Patten.

After the luncheon, the afternoon was spent playing games. Members present were Mmes. Harry Allen, James Buchanan, John Fitzgerald, William Fitzgerald, George Horton, John Klug, John Knight, Joseph Leger, Oleg Mategorin, Vincent Patten, Louis Wilhelm, William Greenwood and Arthur Morton, Jr.

Colorado Trip

Mrs. Andrew Arterburn, 25533 Narbonne Ave. returned last Sunday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Greeley, Fort Morgan and Collins, Colo.



A JUNE BRIDE ... Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Peace, who were married in a 6 o'clock ceremony on June 13, have returned from their honeymoon at Morango Valley and are now at home at 2189 Sepulveda Blvd. Mrs. Peace is the former Marva Egan, daughter of Mrs. Lula Long, 2814 Dalemead St. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Peace of St. Louis, Mo. Roland Gagow of the LDS church officiated at the marriage, for which the bride wore a blue lace over white taffeta gown. She carried white roses. Miss Barbara Zbinden was the bride's attendant and Wayne Egan was best man. Janeen Johnson was in charge of the guest book. The bride was graduated from Torrance High school and her husband was educated in St. Louis. (Portrait by Seeman)

Family Party

Father's Day was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stavert with a Sunday afternoon barbecue followed by games. Here for the occasion with Mr. and Mrs. Stavert were Mrs. Stevert's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grande of Van Nuys, her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham and children, Linda and Scotty of Van Nuys; their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrington and Steve and Stacey of Anaheim.



ASSUME LEADERSHIP... South Bay Chapter, National Secretaries Assn., seated its new officers at a dinner meeting on June 18. Pictured during the ceremony are, from left, Dorine George, president of the California Division, National Secretaries Assn., installing officer; Irma Jean Brady, president; Margaret Beavers, first vice president; Dorothy Skelton, second vice president; Beryl Folts, recording secretary; Margaret Charles, corresponding secretary; Marjorie Wells, treasurer; and Miss Cecilia Daniel, public relations.



DIANE BERRY ... Receives Wings

Diane Berry Is Airline Stewardess

Diane Berry, 20, of 2822 Dalemead, Torrance, has won the silver wings of a jet stewardess for American Airlines, and has been assigned to flight duty out of Detroit, Mich.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Berry, the new stewardess graduated from American Airline Stewardess College in Fort Worth, Texas, after a course of instruction in flight operations, principles of meteorology, radio techniques, customer relations, beauty culture and poise.

A 1956 graduate of Torrance High School, Miss Berry attended El Camino Junior College where she majored in Liberal Arts.

Prior to joining American Airlines, Miss Berry was a bank teller.



PLANNING THE YEAR... These new officers of the Nativity Mothers' Club were installed at the June business meeting. They are, from left, Mrs. Marve Erickson, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Wilson, second vice president; Mrs. Walter Cason, president; Mrs. Raymond Montenegro, secretary, and Mrs. Fred Voeste, first vice president.