



MRS. ROBERT TODD
... Former Charlene Ingram
(Portrait by Seeman)

Mr., Mrs. Robert Todd At Home in Torrance

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd are now at home at 1535 Marcelina St., Torrance. The couple were married this summer in a ceremony at the Church of God. Mrs. Todd is the former Charlene Ingram, daughter of Mrs. Virginia Ingram, 1551 W. 215th St. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John R. Todd, 22704 Ocean Ave. Rev. C. R. Broome officiated at the marriage. Miss Carol Nolley was the soloist. The bride wore a traditional wedding gown of white silk organza and Chantilly lace. A flat pearl headpiece held her illusion veil and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley.

Noble Grands Meet Monday

Past Noble Grands club of Torrance Rebekah lodge 347, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet at the home of Glada Yost, 17030 Atkinson Ave., Monday evening, Aug. 21 at 6:30 p.m. All members are requested to bring covered dishes. The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. with Anna May Isbell in charge.

Littlefield Is Speaker

Joe Littlefield, Southland garden lecturer and consultant will speak to the Wiseburn Branch of the California National Fuchsia society Monday evening, Aug. 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the Dana School Cafeteria, 135th and Aviation Blvd. There will be a social hour following the lecture. The gardening public is invited to attend.

On Camping Trip

Dean Sears and his three grandsons, Bobby and Marty Kink of Miraleste and Barry Treize of Mesa, Ariz., spent the past week on a camping and fishing trip in the High Sierras.

To Illinois

Miss Lulu Solomon left Aug. 7 for Mount Carmel, Ill., where she will spend three months visiting with two sisters and three brothers. During her stay she will attend a family reunion at Wansville, Ind.

Home on Leave

Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder, 25046 Eshelman, Lomita have as their guest their son, Petty Officer Donald Snyder who is home on a 30 day leave from the U.S. Coast Guard.

Las Vecinas Board Announces Calendar

Philanthropic and social activities head a busy year of events for the Las Vecinas Women's club, according to Mrs. John V. Woods, president, and hostess to the board members at a meeting held at her home, 357 Camino de las Colinas, Hollywood Riviera.

Mrs. Woods announced the following committee chairmen: Mrs. William A. Manfrass, historian; Mrs. Fred T. Vedder, community projects; Mrs. Maurice Wilson, courtesy; Mrs. H. K. Packard, tea; Mrs. David Halstead, telephone; Mrs. Laurence Strauss, bridge; Mrs. R. W. Klock, luncheon; Mrs. John Veltman and Mrs. Lee Flanagan, surf soundings; and Mrs. Gerald King, budget.

Mrs. Fred Vedder, community projects chairman, has appointed Mmes. Carl Benson, Forrest Sedgwick, Albert Marzilli, and William Brown to serve as division chairmen for the Community Chest campaign. Volunteer personnel will be needed and those interested may contact Mrs. Vedder. Introduction of provisional members and a speaker, Charles Hillinger, Times staff representative, will be the program for the meeting to be held Sept. 28, at 1 p.m. at the Plush Horse restaurant, according to Mrs. Mel Heilinger, program chairman.

Mrs. Robert L. Forshee, membership chairman, announced that a few openings are available in the club membership, those interested may contact her. Ways and means projects were presented by Mrs. Bruce Mapes. These include the Las Vecinas Pancake and Fun Fair Breakfast, Oct. 15 at El Retiro Park, a fashion luncheon show March 29, at the Beverly Hills hotel.

An "ice breaker" party, Sept. 16 at the home of Mrs. Arlington D. Wiweke, Rolling Hills to introduce provisionals to board members and their husbands, will be the

first social event planned for the year. Dec. 2 is the date for the Christmas dance at the Palos Verdes Country Club. Husbands will be special guests at the "Gay Nineties" party in February. Social events announcements were made by Mrs. Frank Carroll, social chairman, and Mrs. Robert Forshee, membership chairman.

Miss Sippel Honored At Shower

Miss Mary Sippel, whose wedding to Jerrell Wood took place Friday evening, was honored at a miscellaneous shower given by the women of the First Christian Church, of which her father is pastor. Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. Tom Saine, Howard Foster, Howard Thompson and J. B. Mosley.

The bride's colors of aqua and white were used in decorating. After the bride-elect opened her gifts, cake and other refreshments, carrying out the bride's colors, were served to the 50 women attending the party.

Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham entertained old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Gig Lauria of North Torrance last Saturday evening at their Reynosa Ave. home.

Presidents' Luncheon Aug. 24; Dates Listed

An informal get-acquainted luncheon is planned by Mrs. O. S. Larabee, president of Marina District 18, California Federation of Women's Clubs, at her home, 13127 Alcima, Pacific Palisades, at noon, Aug. 24, for the presidents of the local clubs of the district.

Mrs. Larabee, starting her second year as president, will greet Mmes. Janet Dee, California Past Presidents' Club; Walter E. Wiseman, Centinela Woman's Club; George Gurian, Culver City Woman's Club; Myron Yates, El Segundo Woman's Club; Stanley F. Kmeiciak, Woman's Club of Hawthorne; Clifford Stahr, Woman's Club of Hermosa Beach; Wayne Snyder, Imperial Village Woman's Club; Edwin N. Stansel, Inglewood Woman's Club; Russel Stevens, Woman's Progressive Club of Inglewood Aces; W. C. Nash, Lawndale Woman's Club; W. H. Wilson, Lennox Woman's Club; William Yarnall, Loyola Woman's Club; Grant W. Putnam, Marina Satellites; James Rogers, Mar Vista Woman's Club; Alfred Inman, Neptunian Club of Manhattan Beach; O. Leonard Huddleston, Pacific Palisades Woman's Club; Thomas Birchall, Palms Woman's Club; Harry Smith, Playa Del Rey Woman's Club; Harry Ebinger, Woman's Club of Redondo Beach; Vincent Trafficanti, Rolling Hills Woman's Club; George Bleekman,

Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club; Leondrus Stamps, Torrance Woman's Club; and Otto Vegrot, Woman's City Club of Venice.

Mrs. Larabee also released the following dates: District executive board meetings Friday, 10 a.m.; Sept. 15, Inglewood Woman's Club, 325 N. Hillcrest Blvd., Inglewood; Nov. 3, Lawndale Woman's Club, 14701 S. Burin Ave., Lawndale; Jan. 5, 1962, Hawthorne Woman's Club, 253 East 121st St., Hawthorne; March 2, 1962, Culver City Woman's Club, 3835 Watska Ave., Culver City, and May 4, 1962, Woman's City Club of Venice, 912 Lucille Ave., Venice.

District councils will be held at 9:45 a.m. Sept. 29, El Segundo's Woman's Club, 541 Standard St., El Segundo; Oct. 25, Pacific Palisades Woman's Club, 901 Haverford Ave., Pacific Palisades (this is an evening council starting at 7:45 p.m.) and Jan. 26, 1961 — birthday council — Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club, 1210 Fourth St., Santa Monica.

Parliamentary Law workshops and Federation Extension workshops will be held Sept. 7, Hawthorne Woman's Club; Nov. 4, Hawthorne Woman's Club; and Jan. 4 and March 4, at the Palms Woman's Club. The Parliamentary law meeting will start at 10 a.m. and the federation extension at 1 p.m. Lunch will be served.

The annual Festival of Fine Arts is scheduled for Feb. 22, 1962, at the Neptunian club in Manhattan Beach. The district convention will be April 11 through 13, 1962, at the Miramar Hotel in Santa Monica; the Fifty-ninth California Federation convention will be at the El Cortez Hotel in San Diego, May 7-11, 1962; and the General Federation convention will be in Washington, D.C., June 25-29, 1962.

Amaranth Pays Honor To Officers

Lomita Court Order of Amaranth held its "Courtesy Night" on July 27 with special tributes to Lois Babcock, secretary, and Ann Long, treasurer. Representing Grand Court, Order of Amaranth, State of California, Paul J. Gimlin, grand treasurer, congratulated the honor guests on their work.

Guests participating in the ritualistic work were Catherine Callen and Thomas Callen, royal matron and patron of Moneta Ct.; Lorraine Russell, royal matron, Maywood Ct.; Cecil Jones, royal patron, Redondo; Billie McClintock, associate matron, Palos Verdes Ct.; Dave Brewster, associate patron, Pasadena; Edna Newman, treasurer, Long Beach; Della Molenkoff, Redondo; Irma Vincent, Westchester; Doris Kennedy, Bellflower; Dorothy Barnes, Hawthorne; Lorna Wantz and Ginger Brown, Redondo; Greta Meloche, Maywood; George Perkins, Palos Verdes; Floyd Frurlow, Redondo; Jeannette Peterson, Westchester; Almo Adams, Palos Verdes; and Milo Bagley, Redondo.

Representing the four cardinal virtues on which the Amaranth Courts are founded were Ruth Ellis, truth; Louis Armitage, faith; Edith Mennes, wisdom; Mable Ludwig, charity.

After the meeting, Betty Kendall, royal matron and Albert Bayes, royal patron, invited guests to the banquet room where hostesses Gladys Mothersell and Mable Moore served refreshments.

At Philharmonic

Attending the "Sound of Music" at the Philharmonic on Friday evening were Messrs. and Mmes. Robert Morton, W. B. Magner, R. W. Wallen and Tony Barratta.

Dine and Dance

Dinner and dancing was enjoyed last Saturday evening at Allan Center by three local couples, Messrs. and Mmes. Leon Warne, Lambert Brownlee and Harold Littleton.

Mother Here

Mrs. John H. McGrath of Minneapolis, Minn., is here for a several months visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beecher, 1024 Felbar Ave.

South High

South High executive board held its first meeting with Mrs. Jay Madden presiding. The executive board for the coming year will be: Mmes. Charles Fischer, first vice president; William Poser, second vice president; Lee Polick, third vice president; William Morgan, fourth vice president; James Hurst, recording secretary; Edward LaMotte, corresponding secretary; George Behrendt, treasurer; A. H. Noeth, auditor; William Boggs, historian; William Allen, parliamentarian; Mr. John Lucas, advisor.

Council

Heritage for Moderns will be the program theme for Torrance Council this year. The Council will meet at Hamilton Elementary, Aug. 29, 9:30 a.m. Featured chairman will be Mrs. I. W. Blue-mel, safety.

Sepulveda

Robert Dexter, principal Sepulveda Elementary was a guest of honor at a farewell tea given in his honor by the PTA board. Mr. Dexter, who will assume the post of principal at Flavian in September has been principal of Sepulveda since the school's formation five years ago. Special guests also included Mrs. Robert Dexter and members of the faculty. Assisting Mrs. Frank Maguire, tea chairman, were: Mmes. Benjamin Royce, Raymond Mosher Lawrence Miller, A. P. Simon, and Donald Rier-son. Board members included: Mmes. Raymond Cox, Kent Beagle, Michael Callas, and Robert Saunders.

Riviera

The executive board has ratified the following chairman: Mmes. Richard Dodge and Mitchel Yelich, coffee; Allen Crosby, founders day; Ray Fitting and Herbert Phillips, hospitality; Edward Schefers, legislative; Gene Voorhees and Paul Johnson, library; Forrest Sedgwick, magazines; King Sawers, music; Seth Warden, editor, and Donald Gelhorn and Ervin Heinrich, printers for Newsletter. Men's membership chairman Robert Sauer and Seth Warden.



FIT FOR A QUEEN... Mrs. John Gitschier serves Queen Elizabeth's favorite cake to her two daughters, Linda and Joan. Mrs. Gitschier is today's guest cook in the Favorite Recipe column and includes the Queen's favorite cake among her contributions.

'Gay 90s' Revue Set For Aug. 26

The third in a series of performances of the lodge sponsored "Gay 90's Revue" will be presented by the Torrance Moose lodge at the fraternity's hall, 1744 W. Carson St., Torrance, Saturday, Aug. 26, at 8 p.m., Douglas Dixon, governor, announced this week.

Carl Fisher, director of the program, is also one of the stars of the revue. Mrs. George Clay is an associate director of the show that has already appeared before two capacity audiences.

"You must pay the rent," a feature melo-drama of the revue, exhibits the talents of Fisher, Douglas Dixon, Alice Witt, Mrs. Edward Peacock, Les Reinhart and Mrs. Douglas Dixon. The other members of the cast include Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Britt Jr., George Schneider, Mrs. Arthur Galinsky, Dan Hutchinson and Mrs. George Clay.

Music for dancing following the "Gay 90's Revue" will be provided by "Vi and the three J's."

Green Bean Casserole, Salad and Cake Recipes Given by Mrs. Gitschier

The John Gitschier family at 217 Vista Del Parque, is typical of the young families who are figuring in the rapid growth of Torrance. They came here in 1950 from Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Gitschier is an engineer employed by the Nortronics in Hawthorne.

Mrs. Gitschier leads the life of the busy housewife and mother. She takes time out once a week to have coffee with her neighborhood club. She is also active in the Women's Council of the St. Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church which she and her family attend.

Mr. Gitschier is a member of the Redondo Beach Elks club. The couple have three children Marcie, 18, who attends El Camino college, Joan, 12, and Linda, 6, both students at the St. Lawrence Martyr school.

Making the family complete is 10 year old Ginger, a German Shepherd. Mrs. Gitschier, today's guest cook in the HERALD's Favorite recipe column, has chosen three recipes which have proved "tops" with her family and friends.

Green Bean Casserole

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| 1 can green beans | parsley (chopped) |
| or | 1 small onion (diced) |
| 1 pkg. frozen beans | 2 hard boiled eggs |
| 4 tbsp. flour | ½ cup grated cheese |
| 2 cups milk | 2 tsp. butter |
| ¼ cup bread crumbs | |

Fry onion in butter. Combine flour, milk, 2 tsp. salt, Cook until thick add parsley, onion. Put green beans in casserole, pour mixture over beans. Slice hard boiled eggs over beans. Sprinkle with ½ cup grated cheese and ¼ cup bread crumbs. Bake in 375 degree oven for 20 minutes.

Raspberry Jello Salad

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| 1 pkg. raspberry jello | ½ pt. sour cream |
| 1¼ cup hot water | 1 can cranberry sauce (whole) |

Set jello until it starts to thicken. Mix all ingredients into jello. Pour into 8 inch pan. When set cut in squares and serve on lettuce leaf.

Queen Elizabeth's Favorite Cake

Pour 1 cup boiling water over 1 cup chopped dates and 1 tsp. soda. Let stand while the following ingredients are being mixed.

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| 1 cup sugar | ½ cup flour |
| ¼ cup butter | (sifted) |
| 1 egg beaten | 1 tsp. baking powder |
| 1 tsp. vanilla | ½ tsp. salt |
| | ½ cup nuts (broken) |

Mix all the above ingredients, then add dates. Pour into 9 x 12 greased pan. Bake for 35 minutes in 350 degree oven.

Projects Planned By Diana's Board

Presiding over the Redondo Beach Diana's board meeting Wednesday night, at the home of Mrs. Ted Kerwin, Hermosa Beach, was Mrs. Paul Taylor, president of the club, who introduced the coordinators Mmes. Don Beard, Curt Richardson, and Edith Bougmont.

The California Federation Extension secretary announced that the District Roundtable will be held in Santa Monica on Aug. 28. Diana's are represented by five members who hold chairmanships in District. They are Mmes. Sheldon Goldenson, Americanism; Jihn Hansford, Build-a-Better Community; R e y Gorsuch, International hostess; Robert Dreizler, President's aide; and Arthur Callen, art.

The Dianans have made a donation for heart research being done at UCLA, and have also been donating blue chip stamps toward a new bus for the South Bay Exceptional Children's School and Health Center.

A Men's Sports Night is being planned for Sept. 8 at the home of the Pat O'Learys. Swimming, cards and games will be offered to all Diana and provisional husbands. Sheldon Goldenson and Art Callen will make arrangements and refreshments will be served during the evening.

Civic Service Chairman, Mrs. Rey Gorsuch, has been selected by the Senior Citizens to be made an honorary member of their club. The Dianans have baked and donated many cupcakes for the Senior Citizens dances on Friday evenings.

A motion was passed to write a letter to all Junior clubs in the state informing them of the death of Mrs. Irmadele Rous, and asking them for a contribution to the cancer society in her name. Mrs. Rous was chosen "Teacher of the Year" for the State of California and was the Dianans' entry.

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