



Mr. and Mrs. Robert LeRoy Kulp . . . former Tella Anne Blandi photo by Fabbri

## Blandi-Kulp Nuptials Read at St. John's

At St. John's Church, Inglewood, Miss Tella Anne Blandi became the bride of Robert LeRoy Kulp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kulp, 2057 W. 230th St., Torrance.

Miss Blandi is the daughter of Thomas Blandi of Los Angeles and Mrs. Anne N. Taylor of Inglewood.

Father Cunningham officiated at the vow exchange when Thomas Blandi gave his daughter in marriage at the 10 o'clock ceremony.

Wearing a chapel length gown of hand-clipped Chantilly lace and tulle over taffeta, the bride was lovely in a creation fashioned with a jeweled Sabrina neckline, long tapering sleeves, and a fitted bodice. The dress was beautiful with a lace handkerchief skirt over nylon tulle underlay edged with a wide band of scalloped lace.

A tiny pointed crown secured her bouffant shoulder length veil. She carried a crescent shaped bouquet of stephanotis, lilies of the valley, and phalenopsis.

Miss Jacquyn Blandi, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and she wore a gown of pumpkin colored street length peau de soie. Created with side panels of darker shades of pumpkin, the dress was fashioned with a scoop neckline, three-quarter length sleeves a crescent shaped bouquet of pumpkin colored carnations with a center of yellow roses and bay breath.

Dressed in dresses identical to the maid of honor's, Misses Connie Kulp, sister of the groom; Denise Funk, and Anne Schwab were bridesmaids. They carried crescent bouquets of pumpkin colored carnations with yellow bows

in the center. Rosalinda Blandi wore a peau de soie dress and carried a white basket of pumpkin and yellow carnations as flower girl.

John M. Kulp served as best man and ushers were Neil Schwab, Warren Stamps, and Dick Scherer. John Johnson was ring bearer for the double ring ceremony.

Following a reception at the Inglewood Country Club, the newlyweds left for a honeymoon in Palm Springs.

The bride attended El Camino and Long Beach State Colleges and is employed as a secretary at Hughes. Her husband, a Long Beach State graduate, is a salesman for General Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kulp are at home at 1566 Barry Ave., Los Angeles.

# Women

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## Federation of Republican Women Installation Slated

Mrs. Alfred M. Hawkins, historian on the board of the Los Angeles County Federation of Republican Women, will officiate at the installation of the newly elected officers of the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women at the annual meeting on Thursday, Jan. 12, at noon at the Fish Shanty, 4020 Pacific Coast Highway, Waveria.

She resides in Montebello, is a University of California, Berkeley, alumna and is a past matron of Eastern Star.

A former teacher at Whittier High School, she had the distinction of having Richard M. Nixon as a pupil. Mrs. Pat Nixon taught at Whittier High; and Mrs. Hawkins and the Nixons have been personal friends for many years.

Mrs. Hawkins will discuss the need to impress our youth, especially at the high

school age, with the merits and values of our democratic, capitalist system.

She stated that too many of our young people are being exposed to Communist slanted propaganda. It is now urgent that we combat this menace and educate our young people, as well as the American public generally, on what our system of constitutional government really means to them and what it has accomplished for them.

Mrs. Hawkins headed a committee of women who traveled throughout the State reviewing books exposing Communists propaganda and discussing the methods by which Communists have succeeded in infiltrating our communities.

Mrs. Donald A. Solberg of Redondo Beach was re-elected president for 1961.

Other officers reelected: Mrs. Stanley K. Sharpe of Torrance, first vice president; Mrs. Alfred H. Miller, second vice president; and Miss Helen Fisher, recording secretary both Redondo Beach. Miss Marie A. Gustafson of El Segundo succeeds Mrs. Mary Stier of Manhattan Beach as treasurer.

Area Directors are: Miss Alice Mae Avery, El Segundo; Mrs. Rachel H. Brown, Hermosa Beach; Mrs. L. M. Hennen, Hollywood Riviera; Miss Mary Breunig, Manhattan Beach; Mrs. Donald L. Young, Palos Verdes Peninsula; Mrs. Walter Moll, Redondo Beach.

For luncheon reservations call Mrs. Bertha Walters at Frontier 2-2383 or Miss Maude Smith Frontier 2-2357.

All interested Republican women are invited to attend.



Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Carr . . . Rev. Milton Sippel officiates

## Rosalyn Baldwin Wed To Richard L. Carr

Miss Rosalyn Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin, 3714 W. 224th St., Torrance, pledged her vows to Richard L. Carr when the Reverend Milton Sippel officiated at the vow exchange at the First Christian Church, Torrance.

Miss Baldwin chose a Chantilly lace and nylon tulle gown fashioned with a V-neckline, long pointed sleeves, and a bouffant skirt. Her finger tip illusion veil was held by nylon pleated headpiece. She carried a cascade bouquet of white rose buds encircling a white orchid.

Eugene Baldwin gave his daughter in marriage to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cucci, 914 Hickory St., Torrance.

Miss Cindy Baldwin, sister of the bride, wore a blue nylon chiffon dress fashioned with a round neckline, small puffed sleeves, and a cummerbund topped the full skirt. As maid of honor she carried a pink camelia bouquet.

Dressed in deep pink nylon

chiffon Misses Gail Grisholm, Donna Eckstrand, and Bertha Fern were bridesmaids. They carried cascades of pink roses.

Richard Johnson was best man. Ushers in airforce uniforms were Carlton Baldwin, brother of the bride; and Roy Sherwood. Donald Cucci, brother of the groom, too, served as an usher. Richard Carr, the groom, also wore his airforce uniform.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Baldwin wore a blue lace dress with navy accessories. Mrs. Cucci chose a brown lace creation with matching accessories. Each one wore an orchid corsage.

Following the reception which was held at the church, the newlyweds left for a desert honeymoon.

Carr, a Torrance High School graduate, is to be stationed at Rany Air Force Base in Puerto Rico, and the new Mrs. Carr will join him there at a later date. The bride also is a graduate of Torrance High School.

## Betsy Ross Club Sets Meeting Date

Tuesday, January 17, at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave., the Betsy Ross club will meet.

Holding the first meeting of the new year, the group is of the Torrance Order of the Eastern Star. The officers are as follows: Charlotte Dolan, president; Carolyn Pennington, first vice president; Bernice Ruppel, second vice president; and Lois Lougee, secretary and treasurer.

## Thompson-McElroy Nuptials Pledged

At the First Methodist Church on December 18 at 1 p.m., Miss Marjorie Lee Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson, 23915 Arlington, became the bride of Robert I. McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McElroy of Lomita are the parents of the groom.

The bride wore a blue and white wool suit with a white feather hat and gloves complementing her attire. A white rose corsage completed her bridal costume.

Honor attendant Dolores Brown wore a bronze taffeta dress and her corsage was an orchid.

Jim Smith served as best man. Mrs. Robert McElroy attends Torrance High School and upon her graduation in June, the newlyweds will take a belated wedding trip.

McElroy, a Torrance High School graduate, is presently employed as a chef at the Jump 'N Jack.



Mrs. Robert McElroy . . . nee Marjorie Thompson Photo by Photo Arts

## Presbyterians Host Social Events Soon

The Mariners, young couples club of the First Presbyterian Church of Gardena, will hold their monthly meeting this Saturday at 7 p.m. After a waffle dinner, officers will be installed.

On Tuesday, January 17, Martha Circle will hold its regular meeting at the home of Linda Phillips, 15815 Casimar, at 12 noon.

## Betrothal Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fenner, 1617 W. 248th St., Harbor City, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Maureen Wheeler, to Steve Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Andrade, 1414 W. 216th St., Torrance.

A March wedding is planned by the couple.

Graduates of Narbonne High School, the bride-elect and her fiance are presently attending Harbor Junior College.

Petty is employed by the Torrance Post Office.

## Theater-Bus Trip Slated January 20

A theatre bus trip to a performance of Zasu Pitts in "The Curious Savage" is planned for January 20 under auspices of the Torrance Recreation Department.

A chartered bus will carry the theatre-goers to the Pasadena Playhouse from the Recreation Department headquarters, 1511 Cravens Ave., at 7 p.m. The fee of \$3.25 includes admission, transportation and insurance.

Miss Pitts, one of the outstanding character actresses of our day, portrays an eccentric widow in the comedy. The play was written by John Patrick author of numerous stage hits.

Reservations should be made with the Recreation Department no later than January 18.

**DAN FREY'S ENTERTAIN.** The Pen & Quill in Manhattan Beach was the restaurant setting chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Frey of Torrance when they recently entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kerriman of Inglewood, who were celebrating their 32nd wedding anniversary. Eight mutual friends comprised the informal party.

## Robert Bloch to Address Southwest Manuscripters

Robert Bloch, prolific writer of mystery, suspense and science fantasy, will speak on "Horror is My Business" at the next meeting of Southwest Manuscripters, January 20 at 8 p.m. Clark Stadium, 861 Valley Drive, Hermosa Beach.

Formerly in the advertising business in Milwaukee, Robert Bloch began his career as a free-lance author twenty-six years ago and has subsequently contributed more than four hundred stories to his field. His credits include books, short stories, screenplays and teleplays.

Bloch rose to recent prominence with his book, "Psycho," published by Simon and Schuster and adapted to the motion picture by Warner Brothers. He has just completed another screenplay for Warner Brothers called "The Couch."

Recent television credits have been "Changing Heart,"

shown on "Alfred Hitchcock Presents," both story and teleplay by Mr. Bloch, and "The Hungry Class," a story adapted for "Thriller."

His book, "The Dead Beat," was published last summer by Simon and Schuster, and a collection of short stories, "Pleasant Dreams," was recently compiled by Arkham House.

All interested writers, professional and beginner, are invited to attend the next meet-

ing and hear Robert Bloch. For information call Mary Edith Lindsey, secretary, FR 2-6159.

## EXOTIC DINERS

Recent dinner guests at The Polynesian Restaurant were Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord D. Stenberg of Torrance. Other diners the same evening included Miss Ellen Dixon, Miss Kay Kavelin and Miss Dorothy Hart, all of Torrance.



Maureen Wheeler . . . engaged photo by Watsons

## Hayden-Pennington Betrothal Told

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hayden, 1313 Fern Ave., Torrance, announced the engagement of their daughter, Ginger, to Ronald Pennington, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pennington, 1121 Elm Ave.

Miss Hayden, a Torrance High School graduate, is employed by the Pacific Performing Co., Inc. Also a graduate of Torrance High School, Pennington is now studying at El Camino College.

No definite date has been set for the wedding.



Ginger Hayden . . . engaged photo by Seemans

## Lioness Club Aids Needy

At the home of Mrs. Don Moshos, 2570 Trotters Terrace, Rolling Hills, the Torrance Lioness Club met recently for the first meeting of the new year.

Mrs. Ray Wyatt, president, presided at the session when the members voted to aid a needy family of six children. The ladies will make pajamas for the youngsters.

On January 17, the group plans a trip to Chinatown.



PLANNING SESSION—For the new officers of the Nativity Altar Society. At impressive candlelight services (left to right) Mmes. Richard Lescoe, president; John Cherrie, vice

president; Jerry Saladin, treasurer; and Edwin Cambra, secretary, were installed. Next meeting will be February 7 in the Nativity Parish Hall.

## Candlelight Installation For Nativity Altar Society

Newly elected officers of the Nativity Altar Society were installed in an impressive candlelight ceremony at the regular business meeting last week.

New officers are Mmes. Richard Lescoe, president; John Cherrie, vice president; Edwin Cambra, secretary; Jerry Caladin, treasurer.

Twelve guild chairmen are Mmes. Walter Cason, January; Ray Montenegro, February; Joseph Cemoire, March; Frank Zboyan, April; Harry Kale, May; Robert Moffitt, June; Luther Lancaster, July; David Hughes, August; Kenneth Collins, September; Laurence Jordan, October; Carroll Thorton, November; and Louise Cook, December;

and they were included in the ceremony.

High point of the ceremonies was reached as the hall was darkened, with new officers and guild chairmen on stage, each with a lighted candle, forming a large cross, while Mrs. Edward Cutcher and Mrs. Marve Erickson sang "Ave Maria" accompanied by Mrs. Charles Butterfield.

Installation ceremonies were conducted by Mrs. Robert Klaesges who presented the new officers each with a corsage tied with colored ribbons symbolizing their respective offices. Assisting Mrs. Klaesges were Mmes. Kiernan Brenan and Francis Angerer.

Sgr. McCarthy presented the out-going officers with gifts and thanked them all for their loyal cooperation during the past year. The Monsignor welcomed the new officers.

Taking charge of the business meeting, Mrs. Lescoe, appointed Mrs. Robert Klaesges, publicity chairman for the coming year, and also announced the next meeting would be a membership tea to welcome new members.

Mrs. McCarthy addressed the group on the "Meaning of the Mass," fourth in a series of talks which will continue at each monthly business meeting.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Robert Moffitt and the ladies of the June Guild, including: Mmes. William Cockran, John Fedor, Wayne Strittmatter, Frank Kristufek, Laurence Sargent, Richard Ryan, Laurence J. Poeseke, and Misses Felice and Kathryn Shaughnessy.

Next regular meeting will be February 7 at 8 p.m. in the Nativity Parish Hall.