

## Republican Women to Hear Youth

William Barclay Allen, a 22-year-old Pepperdine College senior, will address the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women at a noon luncheon Thursday at Smith Brothers Indian Village.

Allen was born in Fernandina Beach, Fla., where he attended grade school and high school, graduating in June, 1962. He came to Los Angeles to enroll in Pepperdine College and is majoring in political science. His grade point average is a "B."

Allen is a member of Sigma Alpha, a science and mathematics honor society, and is a member and president of the Pepperdine College Young Republicans. He is the Los Angeles County chairman for "Youth For Reagan."

Luncheon reservations can be made by calling Mrs. Bertha Walters. All Republican women are invited to attend.

### On Canada Trip

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Strawn of Manhattan Beach, and their granddaughter, Gail Hatfield of Torrance are on a three weeks vacation in Canada. Gail, 11, is the daughter of the Benjamin Hatfields, and is a student at Crenshaw School.



MRS. MINNIE LONG  
Feted by Daughters  
(Press-Herald Photo)

## Mrs. Long Honored On 90th Birthday

Mrs. Minnie Long, who makes her home with a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Stewart at 824 Amapola, was the honoree at a reception on Sunday afternoon on July 26 in celebration of her 90th birthday.

The party was given by the celebrants, daughters, Mrs. Charles Grandstaff, 1917 220th St., Torrance; Mrs. Irene Rankin, 712 Pacific Lane; and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Long has five grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great grandchildren, who were all in attendance at the birthday party.

Mrs. Long was born June 26, 1876 in Haneytown, Pa. Her family moved to Wheeling, West Va. and it was there that she married and reared her family. Mr. Long died in 1943 shortly after the couple had celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary. It was then that she came to Torrance to make her home.

For the birthday open house, the Stewart home was beautifully decorated with gift flowers. The refreshment table was centered by a pink and white

decorated birthday cake and a pink and white floral arrangement.

Approximately 65 friends called to congratulate the honoree, who was also showered with birthday gifts.

Officers for the new year are Mmes. Robert Stewart, senior regent; Milton Taurman, junior regent; Bernard Finke, junior graduate regent; Robert Braun, chaplain; Clifford Kloppenborg, treasurer; Joyce Clay, recorder.

Installing Regent was Mrs. Thomas Walls with Mrs. Lester Rinehart, installation chairman. Mixed escort team of Chapter and Loyol Order of Moose 785, Torrance, participated in the ceremonies.

Retiring officers were Mmes. Bernard Finke, senior regent; Clifford Kloppenborg, junior regent; Thomas Walls, junior graduate regent; Robert Stewart, chaplain; Leroy Merkie, treasurer; and Noel Peacock, recorder.

After installation, a buffet supper was served by Mmes. Richard S. Bell, Glen Hanson, Robert Doeping, Velma Kent, Anna Wilkens. Dancing concluded the evening.

## Beta Sigma Phi Council

# Breakfast Meeting Sunday

Grand Ballroom of the Beverly Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills, California, will be the setting for the breakfast meeting of Southern California Council of Beta Sigma Phi, on Sunday, July 17.

Two chapters, Nu Beta and Xi Theta Alpha, both of Arcadia, will greet 900 members and guests. Mrs. Glen Howarth, breakfast chairman, reports the theme "Everything's Coming Up Roses," with the table decorations yellow rose topiary trees, on green linen.

Mrs. James Van Gorton is accepting reservations, with Mrs. Michael Rice in charge of decorations. Mrs. Roy Armour, San Gabriel Valley president, will greet the guests, who will honor their mothers at this meeting.

Mrs. William DeBuys, SCC president, will conduct the 10 a.m. business meeting, with Mrs. Glen Howarth giving the invocation.

Highlight of the meeting will be the announcement of the awards given to winners of scrapbook, chapter achievements, civil defense, and directory sales contests. Recognition will also be given to members who have served as judges for the various contests during the year.

There will be musical engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Huggard, 18039 Fonthill Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Diane Rae, to Donald J. Kemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp of Montebello.

The bride-elect is a graduate of North High school, class of 1964, and is presently attending El Camino College.

Mr. Kemp received his BA degree from Occidental College and is presently employed by the Los Angeles School District. He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

The wedding will be solemnized on Aug. 19.

entertainment by a trio "The Messengers."

Attending from the South Bay Area will be following Beta Sigma Phi members: Miss Martha Oehlerking, president of the South Bay Area Council; Mrs. Charles Mel-lodge, council sponsor; Mmes. Les Mayfield and Robert Nickelson of Preceptor Alpha Beta Chapter, Gardena; Sol Mayo, Marvin Scott, Ted Ronnhelm and Keith Thyron of Delta Chi, San Pedro; Al Macho, William Hutcherson, George Gibba, Carl Carlson, June Young and Sylvia Wright, Xi Zeta Chi chapter, Gardena.

Also Mmes. John Shetler, Robert Prether, Tony Gugliotta, Paul Sengstock Jr., William Durant and Harold

### B'nai B'rith Women Will Meet July 18

The regular meeting of the B'nai B'rith Women of Hollypark will be held Monday, July 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Stanley Green at 13028 Gramercy Pl. in Gardena.

At this meeting, the member will make dolls for the children at the National Jewish Hospital in Denver.

For information or a ride Mrs. Fred Mautner in Gardena may be called.

For the future the chapter plans a card party, a dinner meeting, and a Las Vegas Nite.

### Woman's Club Hostess at District Meet

Executive board meeting of the CFWC Marina District 18 will be held at the Torrance Woman's Club, Friday, July 15. Beginning at 9:45 a.m., Mrs. A. E. Glad, president of the CFWC, will preside over the meeting.

A luncheon will follow at 12 noon, to be served by members of the Torrance Woman's Club. Hostesses will include Mrs. Ted Olson, president of Torrance Woman's Club, and Mrs. H. F. Heinlein, ways and means chairman.

Collins, Rho Epsilon, Gardena; Larry Langley, Fred Harris, James Barnhart, recording secretary of Southern California Council, and Miss Rhea Joy Luckey, Xi Theta Xi of Gardena; Mmes. Norman Montague, Lee Pino, Jack Holbrook and Mrs. Barbara Lorentun; and Miss Betty Heaton, Mu Omicron of Gardena.

### Giant Sale On Weekend

Annual Rummage Sale by the St. Philomena Women's Council will be held in the East end of the St. Philomena School at 21900 S. Main St., Torrance, on Friday and Saturday, July 15-16. Doors will be open from 9:30 a.m. until 10 p.m. both days.

In charge of the sale will be Mrs. Edward Bernardin. She will be assisted by Mmes. William Hopkins, Richard Chadsey, and H. W. Niles.

Items available will be furniture, clothing, dishes, toys, books, bric-a-brac and other miscellaneous items.

Other dates of interest are the Women's Council Board meeting on July 18 and the General Council meeting on July 25. The altar duties for the month of July will be performed by the St. Jude Guild. Coffee and donuts will be served by the St. Anthony Guild after each mass on Sundays.



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### Thompson - Johnston

Mr. and Mrs. Alex S. Thompson, 1418 Engracia, Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Jean, to Merle Allan Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston of Long Beach.

The future bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and California State College at Long Beach. She is employed as a secretary at the Central Evangelical United Brethren Church in Torrance.

Her fiancé attended Compton College and is employed as a printer by World Vision, Inc. in Monrovia.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### Circle Meets at Moyers

Phoebe Church of the First Methodist Circle met July 7 with Mrs. Bea Moyer, 1617 Arlington Ave.

A dessert luncheon was served to nine members and Mrs. Betty Horton gave the devotional.

Mrs. Moyer conducted a business meeting and reports were given by Mrs. Lillian Robinett and Es-trepreneur.

Mrs. Edward Goodell, missionary chairman, led a discussion on "UNICEF" with Mmes. Betty Horton, Lillian

Robinett, Irene Fletcher and Maude Price participating

A guest at the meeting was Mrs. Grace Hooper, a resident of Torrance for many years, and living in Beulah Home in Oakland.

On Sunday, Mrs. Hooper visited Rev. Clarence Miller and family in Oceanside. Rev. Miller was pastor of the First Methodist Church in Torrance for several years.

The Phoebe Circle will meet on Aug. 4 at the Ontra cafeteria.

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