

TORRANCE NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. H. C. Ainsworth has her niece, Miss Edith Coffey, with her for two weeks. Miss Coffey formerly lived in Torrance.

Mr. G. Stranahan of Gramercy was operated on for appendicitis at the Good Samaritan Hospital on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of Gramercy are going to picnic with Los Angeles friends in Exposition Park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Herrick had as guests Monday evening Mrs. Hatfield Hathaway and Jim Hathaway of Lomita, and Mr. and Mrs. William Urey of Redondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graw of Los Angeles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Olsen of Andreo ave.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McIntyre and baby and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Riley of Gardena picnicked at Orange County Park Sunday.

The ball players from the south are wondering when the north end players are going to come across with that chicken dinner.

Mrs. F. Harbicht and daughter, Mildred, arrived Wednesday from Hannibal, Missouri, and will stay for several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller of Gramercy.

Mrs. Alfred Goudier entertained Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller and Mrs. W. H. Dolly at a card party Monday evening.

A fine new sprinkling system has been installed at the Torrance school, where the lawns have just been planted.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ainsworth entertained Wednesday evening the latter's aunt, Mrs. Edith Simoneau from Michigan and cousin, Clay Visner, at dinner and afterwards all formed a theatre party to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller of Gramercy entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Miller and daughter of Spurlin Court on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cusack have moved into their new home, 820 Cota.

Miss Elsie Woodward has returned from Murietta Springs. Her mother will stay two or three weeks longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, relatives of J. T. Price and Mrs. J. A. Fix, have gone back to Kansas after visiting in Torrance for several weeks. They were very much impressed with California in general and Torrance in particular, and said they intend to return and locate here.

Mrs. N. K. Woods of Cota street has returned from Douglas, Arizona, where she made an extended visit with her son.

Mrs. Pollock and sons of South Walnut street were in Los Angeles Saturday to purchase a wireless outfit for her two boys. It's needless to say that the boys are more than delighted and will be the envy of all the other children in Lomita.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. James and little Bobby are going to San Diego the last of the week, where they will camp over the week-end.

Mrs. Roy Colburn's little girl, who has been seriously sick with pneumonia, is improving.

"Hardware" Reeves says that in 1925 there will be ten thousand people in Torrance.

Mrs. Caroline Jones of Vista Highlands has moved to San Pedro. She sold her place to Mr. Lynn, a Pacific Electric employee.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gilbert of Vista Highlands have all been sick with mumps.

Mrs. James Fitzhugh of Arlington avenue and Mrs. T. B. McArroy went to Los Angeles Monday and met Mr. Fitzhugh, and all attended the theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winters of Gramercy and children and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Winters of Andreo ave. motored to Topanga Canyon Sunday.

Gabriel Robert Sanderson of Keystone Acres had the happy experience of being initiated into the Elks Thursday night. He got along very nicely until his foot got caught in the harness on the goat. Ask Mr. Sanderson for the rest of the story.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Tomkins went to Lankershim Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson Reeve and baby left Monday night for Seattle, where she will visit for several months with her parents and other relatives. She anticipates a good vacation and an enjoyable family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Anderson attended the Mosco Theatre in Los Angeles Sunday afternoon and visited Redondo in the evening.

Mr. Anberg of South Eshleman is building a two-room addition to his home.

Miss Alice Riley went home with Mr. and Mrs. George West Sunday. They own a large cattle ranch in Santa Ana Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. House of Weston were Redondo visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray spent Sunday at Redondo Beach.

Ruth Allen of Terminal is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Allen of Gramercy.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Nuckles of Arlington avenue, a girl, Sunday, June 26, 1921.

EASTERN STAR DANCE

There will be a benefit dance given by the Gardena Chapter O. E. S. in American Legion Hall in Gardena, July 12, at 8:00 o'clock. Special music has been arranged, and the proceeds will go toward furnishings for the new order of Torrance Chapter of Eastern Stars now being organized.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Father James Deenihan will celebrate mass at 9:00 o'clock every Sunday morning at Steffen Hall, corner of Carson and Cabrillo avenues, Torrance.

DISARMAMENT

On the subject of disarmament the action quoted below was taken recently by the Executive Committee of the California State Church Federation. It was ordered that a copy be forwarded to the President, the President of the Senate, the Secretary of State and to the Senators and Representatives in Congress from California. This has been done:

"Whereas, the burden of taxation for the construction and maintenance of great armaments crushes the very people for whose protection they are maintained; and

"Whereas, it has been clearly demonstrated that such armaments are not conducive to peace, but much more inclined to foment and provoke war;

"Therefore, resolved: That we believe it to be the duty of America to propose and, with proper safeguards, to enter into agreements with the other great powers of the world providing for a concerted reduction of armaments, such reduction to proceed until only so much equipment shall remain as is required for national and international police protection.

"Resolved: That we approve the proposal made by the Senate of the United States that the President call a conference of representatives of Great Britain, Japan and the United States to consider the beginning of a program of reduction of armaments, and that we earnestly urge the House of Representatives to concur in this action."

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