

IN SOCIETY

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Distinguished Pianist Is Dinner Guest of Levys

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Levy were hosts to a distinguished couple in the musical world Wednesday evening when they entertained Marvin Maazel, noted Russian pianist, and his wife, the former well known violinist, Fraubes Berkova, who is Mrs. Levy's cousin.

Besides the guests of honor, the Levys had as their friends at dinner, the parents of Mrs. Maazel, Mr. and Mrs. Berkova; her brother, Shephard Berkova; Mr. and Mrs. Berkova, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Teala Billini and Mr. Billini, of Torrance.

Maazel, who has just returned from his sixth tour of Europe, where he and his wife gave recitals in nearly all the capitals, is contemplating making his home in Los Angeles for the next six months because of concert engagements in Southern California.

The distinguished pianist will be featured as a soloist at the Los Angeles Philharmonic concerts December 18 and 19 at the Philharmonic auditorium. It is expected that a large number of Torrance residents will attend his concerts in Los Angeles. According to critics, both here and abroad, Maazel's artistry is equal to that of Rachmaninoff and Hofmann.

Mme. Billini had heard Maazel play at a concert in Hartford, Conn., 13 years ago and recalled his program in detail Wednesday evening at the dinner party. Her recollection of his numbers was remarkable, according to those present.

WHAT'S ON IN TORRANCE

Thursday, Dec. 11—O. E. B. City Council, Baptist Missionary Society, American Legion Auxiliary, M. E. Circles, Young Ladies' and Young Men's Mutual Improvement Assn., L. D. S.

Friday, Dec. 12—Moose, Masons, Torrance Relief. Sunday, Dec. 14—Services in all churches. Monday, Dec. 15—Directors' meeting, C. of C., Knights of Pythias.

Tuesday, Dec. 16—Odd Fellows, City Council, Baptist Missionary Society, American Legion Auxiliary, M. E. Circles, Young Ladies' and Young Men's Mutual Improvement Assn., L. D. S.

Wednesday, Dec. 17—Knights of Columbus, W. P. C., Central Evangelical Missionary, Episcopal Women's Auxiliary, Lutheran Ladies' Aid.

PRETTY LUNCHEON GIVEN FOR CLUB

Red and green decorations accented the holiday idea at a lovely bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Ray Leslie when she entertained the Entre Nous club at her home on Arlington avenue last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellis Harder was awarded honors for high bridge score, and Mrs. George Probert won consolation. Places were marked for Mrs. L. N. Bierer, Mrs. Scott Ludlow, Mrs. H. M. Haynes, Mrs. A. P. Stevenson, Mrs. D. A. McCormick, Mrs. R. E. Budge, Mrs. Ellis Harder, Mrs. Letta Larsen, Mrs. O. E. Fossum, Mrs. L. G. Danford, Mrs. George Probert, and the hostess, Mrs. Ray Leslie.

Pretty Afternoon Party Honors Two on Birthday

Jointly celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. John Rose and Mrs. Earl Conner, a delightful birthday party was given in the banquet room of Earl's cafe Monday afternoon. The affair was a surprise to both honorees, for Mrs. Conner had planned to give the party in honor of Mrs. Rose, and Mrs. Rose assisted with the plans for Mrs. Conner and Mrs. Alfred Kerber to give a birthday celebration for Mrs. Conner. When the two entered the banquet room and found that the affair was for both, much merriment ensued.

The room was beautifully decorated in ferns and flowers, with a bouquet of sweet peas centering each table. A large Christmas tree, lovely with tinsel and ornaments, was laden with birthday packages for Mrs. Conner and Mrs. Rose.

Bunco furnished the diversion of the afternoon, with Mrs. John Sullivan of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Jack Ferguson winning high scores, and Mrs. Louis Miller and Mrs. Freeze, the recipients of low awards.

At the close of the afternoon, refreshments were served, and the two birthday cakes, decorated in the holiday motif, were cut.

Present were Mrs. John Sullivan

and Miss Georgia Kerber of Los Angeles, Mrs. Frank Ellingson of Brea, Mrs. G. Ludke of Lomita, Mrs. J. Dunbar of Redondo, and Mrs. Alfred Kerber, Mrs. John Bartz, Mrs. F. Schuske, Mrs. Mary Coll, Mrs. Harry Coll, Mrs. Ed Little, Mrs. John West, Mrs. John Dennis, Mrs. Minnie Gensler, Mrs. Valentine, Mrs. C. Benzel, Mrs. Joe Bay, Mrs. Ed Forbes, Mrs. Josephine Rivers, Mrs. Norma Swanson, Mrs. Joe Sana, Mrs. John Stroh, Mrs. Zetta McCord, Mrs. W. W. Woodington, Mrs. Louis Miller, Mrs. Freeze, Mrs. Jack Ferguson, Mrs. Harry Hensath, Mrs. A. Arnold, Miss Celia Hunter, Miss Margaret Gensler, and the two honored guests, Mrs. John Rose and Mrs. Earl Conner.

LAFALOT CLUB IS ENTERTAINED
Mrs. Lucy Deadrick entertained the Lafalot club at her home in Wilmington last Wednesday evening.

Honors for high score at five hundred were awarded to Mrs. Charles Corn, Mrs. W. C. Shelton, and Mrs. T. L. Wertz. Present were Mrs. J. O. Beebe, Mrs. Charles Corn, Mrs. Lee R. Brandon, Mrs. George Piper, Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. T. L. Wertz, Mrs.

J. F. Cook, Mrs. W. C. Shelton, Mrs. O. J. Batsch, Mrs. W. W. West, and the hostess, Mrs. Lucy Deadrick.

MRS. STONE GIVES LOVELY LUNCHEON
Amethyst and yellow formed an attractive color note when Mrs. Joe Stone entertained the Friday Afternoon Bridge club at a delightful luncheon at her home on Cota avenue last week.

Mrs. Raymond Young was awarded honors for high score at bridge, and Mrs. Ellis Harder won consolation. Present were Mrs. Charles Myers, Mrs. Jack Gill, Mrs. Waldo Darnell, Mrs. D. A. Murphy, Mrs. W. H. Stagger, Mrs. Ellis Harder, Mrs. Al Harder, Mrs. E. W. Huddleston, Mrs. Ray Leslie, Mrs. Raymond Young, Mrs. L. G. Barkdull, and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Stone.

MISSIONARY AND COUNCIL MEET
Members of the Women's Missionary and Council of the Christian church gathered at the home of Mrs. John Merriam on Arlington avenue for the December meeting Tuesday. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, followed by the Missionary meeting.

ANNUAL PARTY HELD BY AID TUESDAY
Members of the Methodist Ladies' Aid enjoyed the annual Christmas party held in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon.

A tree, ornate with tinsel and decorations, formed the center of the festivities.

On the program were Jean Solomon, who entertained with readings, and the ladies' quartette, including Mrs. R. A. Young, Mrs. R. E. Budge, Mrs. A. W. Johnson, and Mrs. E. N. Tomkins. Mrs. R. A. Young led the devotional services and community singing. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program. Mrs. John Keefer headed the program committee, and Mrs. O. E. Hall was in charge of the refreshments.

MRS. GREAVES FETES CLUB
Mrs. George Greaves was hostess to members of the Thursday Afternoon club at an afternoon of bridge at her home on Andree avenue last week.

Mrs. J. O. Moore won honors for high score at bridge, Mrs. Arthur Hodge of Lomita second, and Mrs. Fred Knudson of Lomita third.

Present were Mrs. Harry McManus, Mrs. F. B. Dille, Mrs. W. C. Dolley, Mrs. Bert Dye, Mrs. Arthur Hodge, Mrs. Mrs. J. E. Haggard, Mrs. A. W. Meizer, Mrs. May McKinley, Mrs. Fred

Knudson, Mrs. Frank Clark, Mrs. J. O. Moore, and Mrs. George Greaves.

POLLY ANNS ENTERTAINED
Mrs. Frank Mineck was hostess to the Polly Anns club last Friday afternoon at her home on Gramercy avenue.

Honors for high score at bridge were awarded to Mrs. A. W. Johnson, and second to Mrs. George D. Watson. Present were Mrs. W. C. Andrus, Mrs. Harry Alcorn, Mrs. Thomas Kendrick, Mrs. W. A. Beecher, Mrs. George D. Watson, Mrs. Thomas Edmunds, Mrs. W. C. Dolley, Mrs. F. E. Dille, Mrs. John Guyan, Mrs. A. W. Johnson, Mrs. O. W. Hudson, and the hostess, Mrs. Frank Mineck.

HONORS MOTHERS
Girls of Mrs. R. A. Young's Alpha Chi Sunday school class paid tribute to their mothers Monday evening at a Mother and Daughter banquet held at the church.

The banquet tables were beautifully decorated in Christmas decorations for the occasion, with streamers of red crepe paper,

sprays of red berries and large baskets of poinsettias. Palms were used in the background. Louise Duke, class president, presided at the banquet, and introduced the after-dinner speakers, including O. E. Hall, Sunday school superintendent, Rev. F. A. Young, and Mrs. Young. Jean Solomon entertained with two readings, and Louise Shaw gave a reading. During the course of the evening each girl introduced her mother. Covers were laid for 71 guests at the banquet.

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