

# Legion Auxiliaries of Torrance and Redondo Hold Joint Initiation Here



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## TOWERS WITH IVY by Minnie Hite Moody

This is the story of four generations of an American family who founded a college in the wilderness. Mrs. Moody has created a panorama not unlike that of Virginia Woolf's "The Waves" and her book is a delightful mirror of the days it reflects. She has captured in her moods of reminiscence the feeling of the college of yesterday.

**THE CITADEL** by A. J. Cronin  
"A great novel about a doctor by a doctor who is a great novelist."

In this excellently written and absorbing novel the author tells the story of a young Dr. Manson, giving a vivid portrait of an intelligent, hard-headed young physician struggling to gain a foothold in his profession.

Undoubtedly Dr. Cronin has drawn on his own experiences in the study and practice of medicine. The conflict of medical honesty and competitive society form the primary theme closely interwoven with a secondary theme of married love. Dr. Cronin has achieved in this story, as in his earlier ones, a satisfying solid three dimensional quality. Andrew Manson and his career through the vicissitudes of success and failure, happiness and sorrow has both the ring of fundamental truth and the swing of great story telling.

## THE RUNNING OF THE DEER by Dan Wickenden

The author has painted a very readable and engaging picture in his first novel and one that has promise of much more to follow. In a simple story of a modest middle-class life we find the unfolding of a vision through the conventional plot of the book. "Keep your excitement!" says Uncle Christopher, "and no matter what ahead of you can matter much if you tackle it boldly."

Walter Duranty, Moscow correspondent of the New York Times since 1920, author of the widely read "I Write as I Please" which established him as one of the most expert writers on Soviet Russia, has written his first novel, "One Life One Kopek."

Into the life story of a handsome young peasant called Ivan Petrovich, the author has pressed all the force and the spirit of a world shaking revolt. Ivan's story is a violent one because it takes in violent times and it is a romantic one, too. Whether in sympathy with Revolution or not, readers will agree with John Gunther that "It is impossible to lay 'One Life One Kopek' down, unfinished."

## SHOWER IN LOMITA HONORS MRS. KING

The Oliver Hamilton home in Lomita furnished the setting for a stork shower Monday evening, when members and associate members of the First Methodist church choir honored Mrs. John King, Mrs. Hamilton as hostess was assisted by her daughters Dorothy and Marjorie. Those present included Mrs. B. C. Brewster and daughter, Clara, Mrs. C. B. Bell, Mrs. Gene Dotson, Mrs. Hilda Findley, Mrs. R. F. Hogue and daughter Miss Margaret, Mrs. Henry King, Mrs. Harry Paige, Mrs. Phoebe Thompson, Mrs. D. C. Turner, Mrs. K. Pasnacht, Mrs. Beth Paige, the honoree and hostess.

## NIXON-MERRITT RITES IN SANTA ANA

In the presence of immediate relatives and close friends, Mrs. Alma Merritt, well-known PBX operator at the Pacific Electric shops, became the wife of Moses C. Nixon, National Supply worker, Saturday evening at the Baptist church chapel in Santa Ana. They are making their home in Torrance and intend to enjoy a belated honeymoon in the near future.

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## 20 New Members Evenly Divided by Units Tuesday

Twenty new members were added to the American Legion Auxiliary rolls Tuesday evening when a joint initiation of candidates conducted by a Maywood ritualistic team added 10 members to the Redondo Beach unit and ten to Bert S. Crossland unit No. 170.

New members here include: Madge Lyman, Margaret Fitzgerald, Mable Smith and Neva Foote of Lomita, Nellie Bradford, Cecelia Young, Edythe Woodington, Ruby Brown, Lucille Gilmeister and Margaret Dobrich of Torrance.

Audie Modglin, Torrance president, assisted by her staff of officers, conducted the opening and closing ceremonies and introduced distinguished state and district officers. These were Beatrice Trumbull of Maywood, state poppy chairman who later spoke on that phase of Auxiliary work; Margaret Utz, of South Pasadena, president of 18th District; Lucille Lewellen, past president of Bert S. Crossland Unit and 19th District president; Cora Dunn of Redondo Beach, first vice president of 19th District; Mary Starkey, junior past president of Los Angeles County council and membership chairman for this district; Moric Arent, president of Maywood team; Kathryn Ross, president of San Pedro unit, and Esther Scott, president of Redondo Beach unit.

**Program, Supper Follow**  
After the initiation a unique party arranged as a courtesy to the Redondo Beach women, who recently defeated the Torrance unit in a membership campaign was held. Entertainment included singing by the local fire club, a comedy skit, "The Dead Beat," written and directed by Alice Thompson, membership chairman, and a fashion review of clothes and furnishings, some of which dated back to the early nineties. Mrs. Lewellen acted as mistress of ceremonies and awarded the grand prize to Bess Myers, who modeled hats and other accessories and was declared winner by assembly applause.

A buffet supper was served to 150 from a table beautifully decorated in royal blue and silver. Gertrude Ralston, Sylvia Nelson, Velora Murphy, Ethel Sears and Mrs. Modglin comprised the committee with Alice Thompson as chairman.

Attending the 19th District American Legion Auxiliary held in Bellflower Wednesday evening were Lucille Lewellen, Fan Wilkes, Audie Modglin and Bess Myers.

## FAMILY AND FRIENDS HONOR MRS. FIESEL

The birthday of Mrs. C. F. Fiesel furnished the incentive for a surprise party given at her home, 1442 Carson street, Friday—afternoon. The affair was arranged by her daughter, Mrs. Martha Sparelich.

A buffet luncheon was served after which guessing games furnished amusement. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Helen Gounod of Los Angeles and Mrs. Ethel Dunham.

During the afternoon a telegram and basket of flowers were received from Mrs. Fiesel's son Harry Kleinfuss of New York. In the evening the Fiesel's 11 children with their families partied at the Fiesel home.

**CARD PARTIES AT BIRK HOME**  
Mrs. Myrtle Birk, 1451 Post avenue, announces a series of card parties to be given at her home each Tuesday afternoon, starting Feb. 1, at 1:30 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded for high and low score in bridge and 500, and refreshments will be served. Other attractive entertainment will be offered.

**V. F. W. CARD PARTY THIS EVENING**  
Veterans of Foreign Wars announce the third of their series of 500 and pinocchio parties to be held in their hall at Lomita this evening at 8 o'clock.

## ADDITIONAL SOCIETY (Continued on Page 6-B)

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## Ada McCune Head of Local Royal Neighbors

Ada McCune was installed as head of Torrance camp Royal Neighbors at a meeting held in McDonald hall, 1526 Cravens avenue, Tuesday evening. Other officers seated at the meeting were as follows: Elsie Smith, past oracle; Mary Conner, vice oracle; Annie Woodbourne, chancellor; Mary Baker, recorder; Adeline Smith, receiver; Louise Walker, marshal; Doris Lyddy, assistant marshal; Hazel Frauhiger, inner sentinel; Bertha Stevenson, outer sentinel; Lizzie Benzel, manager; Ada Munsie, musician; Helen Fouts, faith; Vera Sheen, courage; Mildred Bowers, modesty; Leona, Denny, unselfishness; Lenora Schroeder, endurance; Lulu Doane, flag bearer; Dr. A. P. Stevenson, physician.

A delightful program presented after the installation included vocal solos by Mrs. Alice Augustus of Long Beach, who was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Jack Murray, recitations by Jerry Price, accordion solo by Joy Anderson and novelty dance numbers presented by pupils of Virginia Crandall.

## BASILE-SHOBERG WEDDING SATURDAY

Miss Vivian Shoberg became the bride of Don Basile at a ceremony performed in the Rectory of the Catholic Church of the Nativity by the Rev. Father Joseph V. Fitzgerald last Saturday, at 11:30 a. m.

The bride groomed in blue crepe with matching accessories and corsage of gardenias had as her only attendant Miss Eva Basile. Arthur Basile served as best man for the groom.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf L. Shoberg of Wheaton, Minnesota, and niece of Sig. Shoberg of Bellflower, formerly of this city. Mr. Basile is the son of Mrs. Lena Basile, 1824 Gramercy, and is employed at the Ford plant in Wilmington.

## NEWS OF THE W. O. T. M.

A card party at the home of Ethel Anderson, 1422 Madrid avenue, Friday evening, Jan. 28, will take place of the regular meeting of Women of the Moose, which has been postponed.

A series of afternoon card parties sponsored by Women of the Moose will be held in their hall, 1526 Cravens avenue, beginning Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 1:00 p. m. The public is invited.

Regular lodge meeting will be held at 1526 Cravens avenue, Friday evening, Feb. 4. A food sale will be held Saturday, Feb. 5. Place to be announced later.

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EMMA EVANS

Who was installed as president of Stephen A. Phillips Woman's Relief Corps this afternoon for her third successive term of office. She is also president of Federation No. 3, W. R. C. and an active worker in St. Andrew's Episcopal church Auxiliary.

## W37 CLASS HOLDS REUNION DINNER

The first class reunion of the Torrance high school class of "W37" was held last Saturday evening at the Hollywood Riviera. It was a great success.

All but a few of the members of the class were present. A turkey dinner was served and afterwards President Dick Clutter gave a welcome speech. He announced the engagement of Geneva Andrews to Johnnie Kluchka.

This was followed by an interesting and humorous report of members' activities by Vida Jones. Dancing followed. Many thanks go to Mary Jane Smith for her management of the reunion.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S DANCE IN AUDITORIUM FRIDAY

Plans for holding regular Friday night dances for the young folks of Torrance and community has become quite a problem to the co-ordinating council. Dances for the next three Friday evenings are assured according to the committee, who invite all young people of this and surrounding cities to attend.

Dancing Friday (tomorrow evening) from 9:00 to 12:00. Good music; small admission fee.

## ORGAN CONCERT AND SILVER TEA

Sunday, Feb. 13, at 2:30 p. m., Madame Teala Billini will give an organ concert in the St. Andrew's Episcopal church after which tea will be served by ladies of the church Altar Society in the Guild hall. A silver offering will be taken.

## DESSERT BRIDGE AT NEELANDS HOME

Mrs. W. J. Neelands, 1333 Engracia, entertained at a dessert bridge party in her home last Friday. Guests included Mmes. C. L. Ingold, Charles Curtiss, Harley Haynes, Paul Watson, J. B. Shaw, John Hooper, J. Figley, John Marshall, Boyd Thompson and H. C. Barrington. Prizes for high scores were captured by Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Barrington.

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**Carter's LITTLE LIVER PILLS 17¢**  
**Bayer ASPIRIN 100's 59¢**

**Regular—Carnick's INCRETONE 97¢**  
**Pint—Norwegian COD LIVER OIL 26¢**  
**Bottle 80 Squibb's ADEX TABLETS 79¢**  
**Bottle 60 Tablets YEASTFOAM 34¢**  
**With Cod Liver Oil MALTINE \$1.19**  
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**Carter's LITTLE LIVER PILLS 17¢**  
**Bayer ASPIRIN 100's 59¢**

**Reg.—Cough Syrup PERTUSSIN 51¢**  
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