CALENDAR

of WEEKLY COMMUNITY EVENTS

TODAY, JUNE 1

3:00 p. m. — Girl Scouts at Christian church.
6:30 p. m.—Rotary at Legion Hall.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.
7:30 p. m.—Townsend Club.
7:30 p. m.—O.E.S.
7:45 p. m.—K. P. Lodge at Redondo Beach.
8:00 p. m. — Modern Woodmen.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

8:00 p. m. — Women of the Moose.
8:00 p. m.—Masons.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

8:00 p. m.—Job's Daughters installation.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Services in all the churches.

MONDAY, JUNE 5

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis at Daniels cafe.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 217.
7:30 p. m.—N.B.P.W.
7:30 p. m.—High School P.T.A.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

7:30 p. m.—Job's Daughters.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 211.
8:00 p. m.—American Legion.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

12:30 p. m.—Woman's club luncheon.
7:30 p. m.—20-30 Club at Daniels cafe.
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 218.
8:00 p. m.—A.O.U.W.
8:00 p. m.—Maccabees.

SHOWERS HONOR BRIDE OF TODAY

Last minute prenuptial courtesies filled the social calendar of Miss Muriel Bell, who this morning became Mrs. James T. Carriel.

Miss Mildred Holland and Miss Wilma Whitney shared honors as hostesses, when they entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the Holland home, 1750 Martina avenue, Wednesday, May 24.

Guests included Miss Pal Marie Henry, Mmes. Hugh L. Henry, Fred Hansen, Louise Diesel, Melba Hall, Ethel Derouin, William Whitney, C. B. Bell, C. Holland, J. B. Young. Mmes. Ruth Claus and Charles Ward were unable to attend.

The Bell home, 1544 Marcelina avenue, was the scene of a second shower arranged by Miss Louise Shanahan, Mrs. Rosalie Warren and Mrs. Helen Wilson, which was held Friday evening.

Invited were Misses Betty Zuver, Pat Carlin, Wilma Whitney, Ethel Floyd, Marcella Crook, Mmes. Elaine Eubank, Sylvia Flammer, Lois Hagen, Berdina Rozell, Rose Waldner and C. B. Bell.

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WALTERIANS HOLD REGULAR DANCE

Last Friday night another in the series of semi - monthly dances was held by the Walteria Entertainment Guild in the recreation hall. A large number enjoyed the festivities. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of George Hansen, piano and cornet; Mrs. Dessie Crowther, piano; Pat Huffine, clarinet; Howard Pritchard, saxophone; Ralph Martinez, violin and cornet; Oliver Bryan, guitar, and Joel Hagberg, drums.

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PIANOFORTE RECITAL SUNDAY EVENING

Mme. Teala Bellini, concert pianist and teacher, will present 22 of her pupils in recital at Central Evangelical church, corner of Arlington and Marcelina avenues, Sunday evening, June 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Pupils to be presented include Andree Grafton, Terry Grafton, Marjorie Ann Roos, Nancy Ann Whyte, Teala Rosemary Bellini, Marilyn Stannard, Rosemarie Disario, Joseph Marek, Barbara Jane Locke, Winifred Philp, Barbara Lee Watson, Norma Levy, Thelma Ness, Ethel Hall, Hellon Alice Trafzer, Kiyoko Hasegawa, Dorothy Matz, Phen Propst, Arthur Kelley, Dorothy Woodruff, Jenoyne Barkdull and Dorothy Searcy.

They Anticipate . . . . . This Wedding Climax

HERE COME THE BRIDES!

We're in the month that enthralls the poet and puzzles the cynic—the Marry Month of June. From ancient times, June has been the month dedicated to weddings. Minstrels harp on it, and marriage license bureaus prepare for it. Why? No one knows. Yet, even in California—where May is just as nice a month, and so is July, so far as golden moons, sunsets and flowers are concerned—it's so.

Well, heck, we're glad we don't know why, on second thought. Men have solved many mysteries, such as the speed of light, movements of the planets, and how to break down the atom, and all that—and aren't much the happier for it. Maybe if we wrested the secret of June's corner on romance from coy little Dan Cupid, the mystery would lose its glamour. Let's just rejoice that Torrance's June brides are as lovely as they are numerous, and wish them happiness, and congratulate the lucky bridegrooms. Who cares about the mystery? All that counts is—best wishes!

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TRY OUT NEW RECIPE BOOK . . . Garbed in colorful aprons—over his protests!—William M. Bennett and Helen L. Hall discover the intricacies of a new dish. They are to be married June 17 in the attractive patio-garden of the W. K. Adolph home in Walteria. This business of cooking is new to Bill but not to Helen who is rated as a good cook.

THEY LED THE ALTAR PARADE . . . Here is the blissful moment that all brides—June or not—anticipate. Mr. and Mrs. James Carey (she was Phyllis Haefeli) did not wait for the Marry Month but were the principals of a brilliant wedding here May 19. They show the correct technique that follows the final words " . . . man and wife."

SHOWING INTEREST IN HIS WORK . . . Believing that wives should know something at least of their husband's job, Charlotte R. Gotts has John H. Ritchie show her what he does in his dental laboratory. They will marry June 18 and then leave on a honeymoon trip to British Columbia. She is an Oklahoman—he is a Canadian who was raised in Scotland.

SISTERS UNITED AFTER 21 YEARS

Mrs. Charles M. Wyne, 2306 Gramercy avenue, has as her house guest, her sister, Mrs. Olive Harrington and her son Jimmy of Henderson, Kentucky.

Mrs. Wyne had been separated from her sister for the past 21 years. Mrs. Harrington will attend the wedding of her niece Ruth Wyne on June 8.

Laughon-Ahrens Nuptials Set for June 7 at Wee Kirk o' Heather

In the beautiful Wee Kirk o' the Heather at Forest Lawn, Glendale, Phyrne C. Ahrens, daughter of Mrs. Lillie P. Falkenstrom of Los Angeles, will become the bride of Dr. W. I. Laughon of this city Wednesday evening, June 7, at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Frank Porter, pastor of the Torrance Christian church, will officiate.

Following the wedding, to which a number of local residents have been invited, a reception will be held at the home of the bride's mother at 323 South Commonwealth avenue.

The couple plans a short honeymoon trip north and will be at home in their new residence, now under construction at the corner of El Prado and Arlington avenue, after July 1.

Has Host of Friends

Dr. Paul K. Edmunds of Corcoran, long-time friend of the local physician and surgeon, will be best man and Mrs. Ahrens' attendants will be Mrs. Gertrude Frick, matron of honor, Miss Ann Fraunhoff and Miss Phyrne Fraunhoff as bridesmaids.

Mrs. Ahrens will be gowned in pale pink net over satin with small hat and veil. Her bridal bouquet will be of Briar Cliff roses, orchids and lily-of-the-valley. The matron of honor will wear pale green marquisette with matching accessories and will carry an old-fashioned bouquet of wood violets. The bridesmaids will wear gowns of brocaded taffeta in apricot and blue and carry old-fashioned bouquets of yellow rosebuds.

Dr. Laughon came to Torrance in February, 1937, from Los Angeles. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Virginia at Richmond and has a host of friends thruout the Southland.

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THIRTEEN SEATED AT BRIDGE SUPPER

Fifth in a series of evening parties was given by Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte at their home, 1620 Post avenue, Saturday evening. Thirteen sat at the dining room table for midnight supper, including: Messrs. and Mesdames Tom McGuire, Jack Morgan, Wm. H. Stanger, Ted Frenger, Miss Esther Z. Maxwell, Messrs. Allen H. Paull and J. W. McMillan, and the host and hostess.

Honors at bridge were won by Mrs. McGuire and Mr. McMillan.

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CARD PARTY IN CHURCH HALL FRIDAY NIGHT

Women of the Catholic Church of the Nativity will hold their weekly public card party tomorrow (Friday) night in the parish hall, starting at 8 o'clock. There will be a door prize and awards for high scores in pinochle, bridge and 500. Mrs. J. W. Sullivan is chairman, assisted by Mesdames J. H. Pauling, Tom Turner, Percy Phoenix, Crossmeyer and Benstead.