

Friends Honor Mr. and Mrs. John Fess at 25th Wedding Anniversary Functions



THIS charming summer costume, appearing in the June issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine, seems to embody the spirit of sweet sixteen. It is made of dotted Swiss, perennial favorite among materials, and the collar and cuffs are edged with Val lace. The dotted Swiss parasol matches the dress.

Residents Here for 22 Years Receive Many Lovely Gifts

Eighty friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Fess of 1729 Arlington avenue, attended the party given in the American Legion hall Saturday evening to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. The Fesses were married in El Monte, Mrs. Fess being Miss Persia K. Shugg.

Many of the friends attending the celebration Saturday evening and hearing them renew the sacred vows as read by Rev. B. H. Lingenfelter have known the couple through their married life.

Mrs. Lorene Ulrich, accompanied by Mrs. Juliette Johnson, presented a musical program after which dancing furnished diversion.

Receiving with Mr. and Mrs. Fess was their son Kenneth, Mmes. Hazel Fossum, Mary Lewis, Bettina Miller, Maude Kendrick, Lillian Shriner and Miss Marjorie Page.

Open House Sunday
Mr. and Mrs. Fess have resided in this city for the past 22 years and have taken active part in all civic affairs. Fess is past master of the Masonic Order, while Mrs. Fess is past worthy matron of Torrance chapter Order of Eastern Star and served as a grand officer in 1928. Fess is employed in the city park department.

The couple have two sons, Kenneth, who is taking an engineering course at University of California at Berkeley, and John, who recently enlisted in the United States Navy.

Open house was held at the Fess home Sunday, when more than 50 callers were received.

Among the lovely gifts presented to the celebrants was a wedding bell containing 50 silver dollars.

SMITH-BANKS WEDDING IN HOLLYWOOD SATURDAY

The marriage of Helen Tressa Banks, second daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Harry G. Banks of the First Methodist church and Mel P. Banks Jr. of Bakersfield, was solemnized Saturday evening, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Tressa Barden Baddeley in Hollywood.

Garden shrubbery and flowers formed an attractive background for the wedding ceremony, which was read by the bride's father in the presence of 100.

Miss Banks was lovely in gown of white moire with full length veil caught with halo of pearls. She carried a bouquet of gardenias and lily-of-the-valley. Mrs. Barney Foote, matron of honor, Mrs. Lawrence Daniel, maid of honor; and Barbara Little, bridesmaid all classmates of the bride at Whitfield college in the class of '36 were her attendants.

Jack Hayes of Bakersfield served as best man for the groom. Ushers were Rex Anderson of Bakersfield and Harry G. Banks Jr. of this city.

After a northern honeymoon the couple will reside in Bakersfield, where the groom is an architect.

GATEWAY COUNCIL PARENT TEACHER TEA

Mrs. Jack Lowry and Mrs. J. O. Bishop shared honors as co-hostesses when they entertained at tea in the Gardena high school Thursday for retiring officers and chairmen of the Gateway Council P.T.A.

Retiring officers and chairmen presented Mrs. Lowry with a gift of glassware.

CALENDAR

of WEEKLY COMMUNITY EVENTS

TODAY, JUNE 22

3:00 p.m.—Girl Scout Troop No. 2.
6:30 p.m.—Rotary at Legion Hall.
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 217.
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.
7:30 p.m.—Townsend Club.
8:00 p.m.—Modern Woodmen.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

9:00 a.m.—Mothers Educational Center.
8:00 p.m.—Women of the Moose.
8:00 p.m.—Masons.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Services in all the churches.

MONDAY, JUNE 26

8:30 p.m.—Kiwanis at Daniels Cafe.
7:30 p.m.—Sons of the Legion.

TUESDAY, JUNE 27

7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 211.
7:45 p.m.—American Legion Auxiliary.
7:45 p.m.—City Council.
7:45 p.m.—Royal Neighbors.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

1:30 p.m.—St. Cecilia Bridge and Fashion Show.
7:30 p.m.—20-30 Club at Daniels Cafe.
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 218.

7:45 p.m.—Robekahs.
8:00 p.m.—A.O.U.W.
8:00 p.m.—V.F.W. at Lomita.

CHUCKIE STEWART HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stewart, 1314 Madrid avenue, gave a birthday party for their little son Chuckie, who was five years old yesterday. Gay favors and childish games enlivened the affair, which was attended by Bruce and Faith Stewart of Garvey, Red Bowden, of Redondo Beach, Sterline Smith, Dickie and Mary Lou Furr, Pattie Lamkin, Jo Ann Sandstrom, Joan Stewart, Bobby Chambers, and Larry Hughes.

MRS. FERNLEY HOSTESS AT BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. L. M. Fernley, was hostess, when she entertained at a luncheon and bridge party in her home, 1552 Post avenue, Tuesday. Covers were placed for Mmes. L. G. Barkdull, Bess Myers, E. L. Patterson, James Scott, T. T. Babbitt, N. F. Fischer, C. D. Lowen and Mrs. Lowen's sister, Mrs. E. D. Edmonston of Washington, D. C. Prizes in contract bridge were awarded to Mmes. Fischer and Babbitt.

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EVENING finery for the young girl this season is definitely Southern-belle, according to Good Housekeeping Magazine for June. This lovely-cotton pique, with eyelet embroidery edging the bodice, has a swish skirt, heart-shaped neckline and a naive bunch of field flowers.

JEANNE SEARS HEADS "THE SPINSTERS"

The newest club in the city is "The Spinsters" organized Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Mary Peckham, 1518 Post avenue. Jeanne Sears was chosen as president of the group, Dorothy Jensen, first vice president; Jean Smith, second vice president; Jeannette Mikelson, secretary; Mary Peckham, treasurer; Jane Roberts, membership chairman; and Jean Kresse, historian; and press chairman.

Other members are Marion Sears, Joy Fossum, Janey Bisehoff, Betty Jane Rous and Pat Carlin. The club meetings will be held at various homes the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

MME. BELLINI HOSTESS AT ANNUAL PARTY

Twenty-five members of Torrance Club National Business and Professional Women were pleasantly entertained at the annual party given by Mme. Teala Bellini in her Los Angeles studio, Monday evening.

Katherine Musselwhite, interior decorator, spoke on color and the subconscious effect it has on individuals. Louis Mehan, tenor, sang two numbers "You Grow Sweeter As The Years Roll By" and "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling." Bunola Kay, radio singer, who has endeared herself to members of the Torrance club through a period of years sang a group of request numbers. Mme. Bellini accompanied the singers and played several request numbers.

Dainty refreshments were served by the committee in charge Addie Parks, Cora Ellwood and Frances Clark. A separate table was arranged for those whose birthdays fell during the month of June. Individual cakes and gifts were presented to Dorothy Jensen, Cora Ellwood, Edna Mullin, Mae Leake, Ruby Brown and Maude McNeill.

Regular business meeting for July will be held July 10, at the home of Sabina Abramson.

W. O. T. M. INSTALLATION

The Woman's Lodge of the Torrance Moose is having installation of its officers on Friday night the 23rd, at 8 o'clock. This will be an open meeting and the public is cordially invited to attend. From 10 to 12 o'clock there will be dancing which is also free to the public. This dance is given as a farewell reception to Mr. and Mrs. James Hoyle who will be present at the meeting. They are leaving soon for Moosehaven, Fla.

RHONES HOSTS AT DINNER PARTIES

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhone, 1027 Beach avenue, entertained at dinner Sunday evening for Miss Jean Benston, Miss Virginia Stich, Mrs. Charles Jewell and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dekker of Los Angeles.

Dinner guests at the Rhone home Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. M. Hinshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gould of Pasadena.

R.N.A. SPONSORS CARD PARTY

Torrance camp Royal Neighbors will hold a card party in the Torrance Social hall, corner of Portola avenue and Torrance boulevard, Tuesday, June 27, at 8:00 p.m.

Pinochle and 500 will furnish diversion with prizes for high scores in each. Mrs. Louise Walker is chairman.

LITERARY SECTION HAS SPLENDID PROGRAM

Literary and Drama section of Torrance Woman's club met yesterday at the home of Kathryn Buffington, 1533 Marcelina avenue. Twenty ladies attending enjoyed the lecture given by Elsie DeBra on the subject "Origin of the Bible." Mrs. Buffington gave the history of the famous hymn "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" written by Martin Luther. She and one of her pupils, Barbara Woodcock later played the hymn on two pianos. A book review by Dorothy Jamieson completed the program.

DESSERT BRIDGE FASHION REVIEW

Plans are complete for the around the clock summer fashion review, which will be presented at the dessert bridge party to be given by St. Cecilia Guild of St. Andrew's

Episcopal church in the guild hall on Engracia avenue, Wednesday, June 28, at 1:30 p.m.

Styles will be modeled by Miss Jeannette Mikelson, Mrs. Dean L. Sears and Mrs. Ray Brooks. Hostesses include Mmes. D. A. Murphy, Sidney Hopkins and Fred Harder.

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