

# MATRON IS HONORED AT AFTERNOON SHOWER

Mrs. Dorothy Pierce was honored when she entertained a group of her friends aboard the "Sonny Boy," during a three days' trip to Catalina.

Included were the Misses Virginia Hall, Phyllis Campbell, Regina Hornback, Ann Kinnison and the hostess. The girls were chaperoned by Miss Eleanor Aires of Manhattan Beach.

# PERCY SMITHS ARE SUNDAY DINNER HOSTS

Enjoying the Father's Day hospitality of the Percy Smith home at 1503 West 222nd street last Sunday, including a bountiful dinner, were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stephenson, all of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Billy Hawker and children, Yvonne and Jackie Leroy, of Redondo Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Smart and daughter, Eileen, and Norman Smith of Torrance.

# INTEND TO WED

Claude A. Gull, 23, of 22336 South Normandie, Torrance, and Annie Verveen Quigley, 18, of 1003 Arlington avenue, Torrance.

Wilmer E. Rawie, 23, of the Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C., and Margaret Jane Towle, 20, of 2725 Via Anita, Palos Verdes Estates.

Ted S. Kawachi, 25, of Gardena, and Haruko Minami, 25, of Route 1, Lomita.

Vernon R. Edwards, 23, of Bakerfield and Eleanor H. Smith, 21, of 1407 Cota avenue, Torrance.

# SON IS BORN TO MELZ FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Melz are receiving congratulations from their many friends upon the birth of a son born Sunday morning at Torrance Memorial hospital. The baby tipped the scales at seven pounds, 14 1/2 ounces. His mother was Miss Myrtle Perkin before her marriage.

# Elementary P.T.A. Installs Officers Next Tuesday

Installation of officers will be the highlight of the next meeting of Torrance Elementary P. T. A. to be held at the school auditorium Tuesday, June 25, at 2 p. m. Mrs. J. H. Marriot, newly-elected Lomita - San Pedro Council president, will serve as installing officer.

Officers to be installed include Mrs. W. H. Tolson, president; Mrs. H. R. Lee, first vice-president; Leonard Dykes, second vice-president; Mrs. H. P. Smith, secretary; Mrs. E. C. Prime, treasurer; Mrs. R. B. Roberts, corresponding secretary; Mrs. D. B. Douglas, historian; Mrs. C. T. Schiebler, auditor; Mrs. L. R. Deleissagues, parliamentarian.

Graduating sixth graders will be presented by the principal, Torrance Elementary will be guests of honor at the tea to be served by the board, with Mrs. S. R. Hopkins, hospitality chairman, in charge.

# Adolph-Whitely Wedding Held In Redondo Church

Wearing ivory satin with a finger-veil caught with a crown of lace, Miss Vida Lorone Whitely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Whitely of Redondo Beach, was married Saturday evening to William Edward Adolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Adolph of Waltham. The ceremony was performed at the First Methodist church in Redondo Beach with the Rev. Claude Young officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Milford Montgomery, as matron of honor, wearing a gown of orchid. Miss Evelyn Dorland, as maid of honor, wore peach, while the other attendants were the Misses Mildred Anderson, Adaline Oliver, Phyllis Edwin and Virginia Heath. Little Marilyn Sue Whitely, niece of the bride, in a dainty white frock, served as flower girl. Kenneth Connell was best man and usher were James Whitely, Milford Montgomery, Robert Whitely, Alfredo Adolph and Charles Gerrett Whitely.

Following the church rites, a reception was held at the Adolph home in Waltham. Following a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Adolph will make their home in West Los Angeles. The bride plans to continue her studies at U. C. L. A. and the groom, a former student at U. C. L. A. is now a student in the Loyola law school and is employed with the Los Angeles county auditor's office. He is a member of Phi Alpha Delta.

# DIANAS MEET AT CITY PARK

A most enjoyable evening was recently spent by the Dianas of Redondo Beach and their guests at a potluck supper held in the Torrance City park.

Those who enjoyed the sumptuous supper served cafeteria style were Messrs. and Mesdames Wm. E. MacFadden, Fritz Mungenberg, Foster Day, Ray Brown, Jack Gonzales, Arthur Anderson, Lyman Smith, Winston Younggren, Louis Simpson, Irving Curtis, Bob Stehman, Clifford Bundy, Al Medlicott, Michael Bartmus, Gerald Lechner, William Geach, Mesdames Ray Larson, Carroll Boston, Delos Bundy, Ed Boynton, Robert Epps, Misses Gertrude Briedenbach, Virginia Murray, Jane Allen, Elizabeth Ferry, Fay Thornton and Mr. John McLaughlin.

# CATHOLIC LADIES' PARTY FRIDAY

Members of the Catholic Ladies' Altar Society will entertain at their weekly card party at Nativity Hall Friday evening this week instead of Thursday as usual.

Mrs. J. V. Murray will be assisted by Mesdames Brennan, Melville and Anderson as co-hostesses. There will be prizes and refreshments. Everyone is invited.

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# New Officers of Fern P.T.A. Are Installed Tuesday



—Torrance Herald Photo.  
MRS. J. J. MILLARD begins year of service

"More people take part in gossip than in any other recreation," declared R. H. Abernathy, recreation director of Los Angeles city schools, speaking before the Fern Avenue P. T. A. Tuesday evening. Recreations, such as hobbies like stamp collecting, that can be taken home and made a family interest are the best, according to the speaker.

The board of education is establishing 16 "Daytime Camps" at various recreation centers throughout the city. The nearest "Daytime Camp" to Torrance will be at Cabrillo Beach. Children will spend the day at camping activities, returning home to sleep. Memories of the state convention were given by Mrs. Mark McIlvaine, Mrs. J. J. Millard and Mrs. L. F. Watson.

Mrs. Levi Stump of Lomita installed the officers for the ensuing year. Old-fashioned bouquets, representing the colors used by an artist, were given each officer with appropriate charges.

Officers installed were Mrs. J. J. Millard, president; Mrs. Mark McIlvaine, first vice-president; Mrs. Lillian Billup, second vice-president; Mrs. Irene Davis, third vice-president; Mrs. Harry Pearson, secretary; Mrs. A. C. Steele, financial secretary; Mrs. D. A. Murphy, treasurer; Mrs. A. C. Turner, auditor, and Mrs. Dan Mosher, historian.

Mrs. W. C. Silmer and Mrs. A. C. Turner served refreshments from a refectory table decorated with a large bouquet of blue delphinium and yellow carnations. A violin solo by Shirley Wright and music by the harmonica band, directed by Mrs. McElvaine, were features of the program.

# MRS. ROBINSON FETED AT SURPRISE PARTY

Complimenting Mrs. Ella Robinson, president of the American Legion Auxiliary for the past year, her officers and chairman entertained Tuesday with a surprise evening party for her at the home of Mrs. Maxine Smith. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Lucille Lowellen and Merle Youngken. A Chinese motif was used throughout menu and party accessories.

Mrs. Robinson was presented with a beautiful corsage of yellow roses, a gift of table linen and a handsome table lamp.

Bridge and Michigan furnished diversion for the ladies and bridge prizes were captured by Mesdames Collins, Alma Smith and Robinson, while Michigan honors went to Miss Corlita Reeve, Mrs. Babcock and Mrs. McDermid.

Those present were Mesdames Caroline Collins, Nettie Babcock, Ethel Sears, J. R. Wilkes, Marie Marsteller, Alma Smith, Daisy Watson, Selma Goddard, Olivia Lee, Ruth Saunders, Clara Dunbar, Eloda Barkdull, Hallie Doane, Bessie Myers, Janet Woodington, Alice Thompson, Mabel Williams, Gertrude Raude, Robt. S. Sleeth, Maude Waikely, Mrs. Smith's guest, Mrs. Ethel McDermid, Mrs. Corlita Reeve and the hostesses.

# NATAL DATE IS NOTED

The birthday anniversary of Merton Gilbert was celebrated when friends surprised him at his home Monday evening.

Places were arranged at the impromptu dinner party for Mr. and Mrs. Merton Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kreiger of Lomita and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wright and children of Sheridan, Wyo., were recent house guests of the O. W. Hudsons. They left this week for Yosemite. Wright will attend summer session at University of California at Berkeley.

# CALENDAR of WEEKLY COMMUNITY EVENTS

## TONIGHT, JUNE 20

6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club at Legion Hall.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 219.

Order of Eastern Star at Masonic Temple.

7:45 p. m.—Knights of Pythias Lodge at Redondo Beach.

8:00 p. m.—Modern Woodmen.

## FRIDAY, JUNE 21

8:00 p. m.—Women of the Moose at Moose Hall.

Masonic meeting.

7:30 p. m.—O. O. F. No. 195 Redondo Beach.

Townsend Club at Men's Bible Class building.

8:00 p. m.—Catholic Ladies' card party.

## SUNDAY, JUNE 23

Services in all churches.

## MONDAY, JUNE 24

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club at Daniel's Cafe.

7:30 p. m.—Sons of Legion.

## TUESDAY, JUNE 25

8:00 p. m.—Elementary P.T.A. Fern Avenue P.T.A.

7:30 p. m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 211.

Order of De Molay, Masonic Temple.

7:45 p. m.—American Legion and Auxiliary steak bake.

City Council meeting.

Royal Neighbors.

8:00 p. m.—Technocracy, 1915 Carson street.

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26

7:30 p. m.—20-30 Club at Daniel's Cafe.

Boy Scout Troop No. 218.

7:45 p. m.—Bobcats.

8:00 p. m.—A.O.U.W. V.F.W. at Lomita.

## THURSDAY, JUNE 27

8:00 p. m.—Girl Scout Troop No. 2 at Scout Hall.

## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS EXTENDED AID MEMBER

Members of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Torrance Evangelical Lutheran church Tuesday afternoon showered Mrs. Petrina Fritz on the occasion of her birthday with many gifts and flowers at her home in Redondo Beach.

Coming as a complete surprise, the Torrance ladies wished Mrs. Fritz the happiest of years to come on her birthday. A birthday cake with appropriate greetings was presented by Mrs. Clara Conner. Other members furnished many delicious forms of refreshment. Following the delightful luncheon, presents were opened by the honoree.

Among those present were Mesdames Frank D. Meehling, Ruth Letz, Valeska Rose Bergfelder, Marguerite Cowgill, Clara Conner, Norma Anderson, H. P. Nelson, Margaret Blakemore, O. M. Knopper, G. Fossum, C. S. Wilson, Lizzie Benzel, Anna Bay, E. J. Hosking, O. A. Bergfelder, Bernice Leffelman, Annie Woodbourne, Ronald Molzahn and K. A. Fritz.

## FRIDAY MORNING CLUB AT BUCKLEY HOME

Members of the Friday Morning club held their final meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Frances Buckley in Portola avenue Friday evening. Mrs. Buckley was assisted by Mrs. A. E. Kerber as co-hostess.

A patriotic cake arrangement was used throughout menu and appointments. Following a short business session, luncheon furnished entertainment for the group and Mrs. Edna Weis received a prize for high score.

Mrs. Leah Wright from Sheridan, Wyo., attended the meeting-party as Mrs. O. W. Hudson's guest.

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# P.T.A. Council Head Honored at Shower By Mrs. Bishop

As a courtesy to Mrs. J. P. Ziegler, Gateway Council P. T. A. president, Mrs. J. O. Bishop entertained Thursday afternoon at her home, 2021 Carson street, with an attractively appointed tea and handkerchief shower.

At the lace-covered tea table, attractively decorated with an arrangement of red snapdragons, white stock and blue lupin, carrying out the patriotic theme of the day, white tapers were used in matching candle holders. Mrs. E. J. Rowan of Wilmington and Mrs. I. C. Rous poured. They were assisted by Mesdames William Jolley, A. C. Golden and H. J. Rowe.

More than 25 attended, representing Gardena, Banning, Narbonne, Dana Jr., San Pedro and Torrance high school P. T. A. associations.

# GIRLS ENJOY BOAT TRIP

Miss Harriet Pegors was hostess when she entertained a group of her friends aboard the Pegors' cabin cruiser, "Sonny Boy," during a three days' trip to Catalina.

Included were the Misses Virginia Hall, Phyllis Campbell, Regina Hornback, Ann Kinnison and the hostess. The girls were chaperoned by Miss Eleanor Aires of Manhattan Beach.

# NEWS OF WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

The regular meeting of Torrance Chapter will be held July 5 with new officers in chairs. A food sale will be held Saturday, June 29, with Anna Wilken in charge.

Winners of high scores at luncheon card party held Tuesday were Mrs. William Phillips, bunco; Mrs. Anna Corson, 500, and Miss Pearl Lovelady who received a handsome crocheted luncheon set as a drawing prize.



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