

Williams-Floyd Church Wedding Held Sunday

One of the prettiest weddings of the summer season occurred Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church when Miss Helen Maureen Floyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alfred Floyd of this city, became the bride of Mrs. Charles C. Williams. The ceremony was performed by C. P. Halling, bishop of the Latter Day Saints church.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a dainty marquisette gown with lace bodice and matching coronet with fingertip veil. She carried a bouquet of white bouvardia and gardenias, centered by an exquisite white orchid.

Mrs. Margaret Colburn, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and was gowned in pink flowered organdie. She carried a corsage of blue delphinium with pink roses and sweetpeas.

The bridesmaids, Ethel Fernley and Charlene Floyd, also sisters of the bride, were attired in blue flowered organdie and carried pink and white carnations and sweetpeas. The bride's mother wore a gown of printed rose sheer with navy blue accessories, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Charles Williams, was becomingly attired in a costume of navy blue.

Thomas Wozeski of Long Beach served the bridegroom. The ushers were J. H. Bennett and Jack Delo, also of Long Beach. The church was decorated with green fern and white baby breath, with baskets of white asters and tiny pink rosebuds.

Preceding the ceremony, a piano solo was played by Edna Babcock, followed by songs by her husband, Leonard D. Babcock. The wedding march was played on the marimba by Miss Jean Yoder and Mrs. Gladys Pletschke, accompanied by Mrs. Babcock.

A wedding reception was held in the church immediately afterwards and the couple left for a honeymoon in Northern California. Mrs. Williams is a graduate of Torrance high school and her husband was graduated from a Long Beach high school.

Returning Here



MISS MARY C. WADDELL

Word was received this week by Mrs. John Garner, president of the Fern Avenue P.T.A., that the principal at that school last year, Miss Mary Charlotte Waddell, had been instructed to return there with the opening of the 1942-43 term Sept. 10. During part of the summer vacation, Miss Waddell was instructor at the 32nd Street school, used for teachers' training by U.S.C.'s Department of Education.

Mrs. Garner announces that the first meeting of the Fern Avenue P.T.A. will be held Thursday, Sept. 22.

ASHLEYS CELEBRATE 45th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ashley of Redondo Beach, pioneer residents of Torrance where they have many friends, were honored on their 45th wedding anniversary recently at a gay party given by their daughters, Mrs. Muriel Lund and Mrs. Ethelyn Vorhis. Many lovely gifts were received by the couple and refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Bill Becker, Don Vorhis, DeWayne Lund, the guests of honor, Mrs. Carol O'Neal and several grandchildren of the Ashleys.

LEGION AUXILIARY TO HOLD SOCIAL

Friday is social night for the American Legion Auxiliary at St. Andrew's Guild Hall. Hostesses will be Velora Murphy, Mrs. Dunham and Olivia Lee Games and prizes will furnish diversion for the evening and at the close of play refreshments will be served.

CROCHET CLUB LUNCHEONS IN INGLEWOOD

The Crochet Club enjoyed a luncheon at the new home of Mrs. Stephen Welz in Inglewood. Those attending were Mesdames Wm. Gascoigne, E. E. Banks, Wm. Bungenor, Melvina Beckwith, Gladys Mothersole, L. V. Babcock and L. D. Babcock.

MRS. BACON HOSTESS AT PATIO LUNCHEON

Mrs. Fred Bacon of 1303 Portola ave., entertained Wednesday at a luncheon served in her flower-bordered patio. Her guests included Mesdames Sorrenson, Solie, Ihme and Tollov, all of San Pedro, and Mrs. Thornton of Lomita.

CHURCH GROUP MEETINGS ANNOUNCED

The circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church meet next week, No. 3 at the parsonage, 1620 Manuel ave., on Tuesday Sept. 1, with a potluck luncheon served at noon. No. 1 for a potluck picnic lunch at Torrance city park Thursday, Sept. 3, and No. 2 at the home of Mrs. T. K. Millstead, 2112 Gramercy ave., Thursday at 10:30 with luncheon served at noon. Mrs. Leonard Hill will be co-hostess.

MATRON HONORED AT STORK SHOWER

Honoring Mrs. Neva Cato of 2418 Sonoma ave., Mrs. Vi Ritchie and Mrs. Marion Welton gave a stork shower at the latter's home, 2414 Sonoma ave., last week. Those bringing attractive gifts and enjoying the party were Mesdames Bertha Totton, Virginia Scott, Helen Wiley, Lucille Maehring, Mary Sawyer, Gloria Hoyt, Alice Chapman, Francis Snodgrass, Myrtle Cox, Sally Litaker, Doris Taylor, Ina May Maupin, Marion Case and Mary McDonald.

Red Cross Aides Use Ambulance



HOW PATIENTS ARE CARRIED—This is the "business end" view of the new city ambulance, showing how five patients can be transported. Two are slung from the roof while three are carried on the floor. Members of the Torrance branch, Red Cross Motor Transport and first aid service are, left to right: Mrs. Ethel Sears, Mrs. Lillian M. Snow, Mrs. Helen Miller and Mrs. R. R. Smith, branch chairman.

GOLDEN-SCHMITZ WEDDING REVEALED

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Golden announce the marriage of their son Robert to Miss Martha Jill Schmitz of Bellflower. The ceremony was performed in July at Yuma, Arizona. Young Mrs. Golden is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hume of Bellflower. Bob is a graduate of Torrance high school, and is now employed at National Supply Co. The young couple will reside in Bellflower.

Presentation of Ambulance Set For Saturday

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Members of the local service club who have looked forward to that event for more than eight months. The Kiwanis club served as the chief fundraising organization for the ambulance but its members point out that the assistance given by many residents and several other groups contributed toward a major portion of the fund.

There is still a balance of some \$400 remaining to be paid off before the Kiwanis' self-imposed debt is cleared but this is expected to be liquidated as result of the current city-wide scrap campaign. Proceeds from the sale of junk brought to the two main collection depots at Cabrillo and Sartori and opposite the postoffice will be used to wipe out this deficit, according to President Arq.

"With all due respect to my fellow clubmembers, I don't believe we could have realized the goal of our project—the present new ambulance—without the splendid assistance we received from other organizations and hundreds of our fellow residents," Arq said today.

How Other Groups Helped
"We started out with the idea of buying an ambulance for around \$1,000 and thought we could undertake the purchase alone," he continued. "But when we investigated the machines on the market we found we had under-estimated the cost of an ambulance that would really be a credit to Torrance. So we had to increase our estimate and look to other groups and a larger proportion of the population for assistance."

"The response was immediate and continued. We started out by installing milk bottles in local stores to receive donations. Then other organizations held tea parties, card parties, fashion shows and other ambulance fund benefits. The Kiwanis club itself undertook a bicycle drawing that helped the fund, the 20-30 Club pitched in with a scrap rubber drive, the Moose lodge held its MacArthur Day dance June 13 and gave all proceeds to our fund.

"The latest contribution came from a group of local amateur players who presented the stage production of 'Three-Cornered Moon' at the Torrance theatre Aug. 19 as a benefit for the ambulance fund. Even the Girl Scouts of the Episcopal church added their effort—the sale of candy at that show—to our fund.

"So we are deeply indebted to everyone who helped and we hope they will attend the presentation ceremonies next Saturday afternoon because the ambulance now is their ambulance, for their protection in any manner that the city sees fit to use it," President Arq concluded.

DEFENSE WORKERS ASSEMBLE SATURDAY

Police Chief John Stroth, Civilian Defense coordinator, requests all defense workers—air raid wardens, auxiliary police and firemen, Red Cross first aiders, public service crews and others—to assemble in front of the city hall Saturday afternoon, Aug. 29, at 2 o'clock to participate in the city ambulance presentation program. The defense workers are asked to appear in full uniform and with all equipment.

LUNCHEON GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Quimby entertained as luncheon guests on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vogelsang and daughter Marilyn of San Marino.

NAVY MOTHERS PLAN LUNCHEON

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SERVICE SHORTS

GERALD ALTER . . . of the State Guard, was granted a 24-hour leave Aug. 24, his birthday. The event was celebrated with a family dinner followed by a theatre party.

BOB KLINK . . . who is in Officers Training at Camp Roberts, was visited by his wife Sunday.

SERGEANT LEE VICTOR BAILEY . . . son of Mrs. R. L. Honrath, sent a radiogram from Australia telling his mother he was fine, but to "send on the cigarettes." Mrs. Honrath says mail from Australia is coming through fine. She receives a letter every two weeks.

PAUL HARESTAD . . . who recently enlisted in the Navy is rated as second class petty officer. His mother, Mrs. Ruth Harestad, and his wife, Jo, visited him Sunday in San Diego.

BILLIE PAT MURPHY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Young Billy Pat Murphy was host when he entertained Bobby Hopkins, Ronnie Wixom, Tommie Cook, George Moore, Jerry Brodie and his brother, Jimmy Gene, on the occasion of his sixth birthday last Saturday. The group went to Torrance city park, where they were entertained until 11:30 for refreshments. Sandwiches, ice cream and birthday cake were then enjoyed at the D. A. Murphy home on Sonoma st.

CHINATOWN DINNER HONORS BIRTHDAY

Honoring the birthday of Mrs. Walter Smith of Palos Verdes, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Loper entertained 14 dinner guests at Chinatown last Saturday evening. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and sons John and James of Palos Verdes; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Peterson and son Richard of Hollywood Riviera; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gilliam and daughter, Marguerite of Altadena; A. K. Long of Torrance; Miss Joan Loper and the host and hostess.

BRIDGE GROUP MEETS IN REDONDO

Mrs. J. A. Gregory entertained her bridge club at her Redondo Beach home last Thursday afternoon. Prizes for high score were captured by Mrs. L. C. Burger, a club guest, and L. M. Fernley.

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PHILIP M. RUSSELL . . . of 2108 Arlington ave., was promoted this week from private, first class, to technician, 5th grade, which is just below the grade of a corporal at Camp Stoneman, located near Pittsburg, Calif.

RALPH FIERCE . . . of the Navy Air Corps, home on a two-day leave, was guest of honor at a dinner party Sunday evening given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Fierce of 2363 El Dorado ave. Other guests included Miss Ina Newkirk of Long Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fierce of El Lido.

DAN BARNARD, JR. . . . who has been at Samoa for the past 18 months for the Navy Construction Co., is now home on leave.

JOHN J. ELDER . . . has graduated from the Naval Training School at Chicago as an aviation metalsmith. He received a rating as petty officer, 3rd class, Aug. 7.

WILLIAM J. RITCHIE . . . who is in the Coast Guard at San Francisco, was visited by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ritchie of 1610 Beech st., his brother Charles and wife last week.

O. B. HUBER . . . who has been visiting in Torrance for a week returned Tuesday to his Naval Base in San Diego.

BOB SLEETH . . . having won his second lieutenant's commission Saturday morning, returned home Tuesday afternoon, exactly seven months to the day when he started his Armored Division training at Ft. Knox, Ky. He is on a 10-day furlough and expects to be stationed at Indio, Lieut. Sleeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Sleeth, was inducted as a buck private last January and won his commission the "hard way"—up thru the ranks in the rigorous training of the Armored Division.

DOUGLAS CARMEL COOK

leaves tomorrow to join the Navy. His wife and 13-month-old daughter, who have been living at 1507 Date st., plan to live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Friesner at Harbor City. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cook of 2317 Torrance blvd., has been working on the city street department maintenance.

GUY AND EDDIE ROWELL

sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rowell of 1348 Carson st., have shipped out for parts unknown. Guy is an aviation machinist's mate, 2nd class, and Eddie is A. R. M., 3rd class.

FORREST MCKINLEY

son of Mrs. May McKinley, left Sunday for an unknown destination. He is with the Merchant Marine service.

RUDOLPH HUBER, JR.

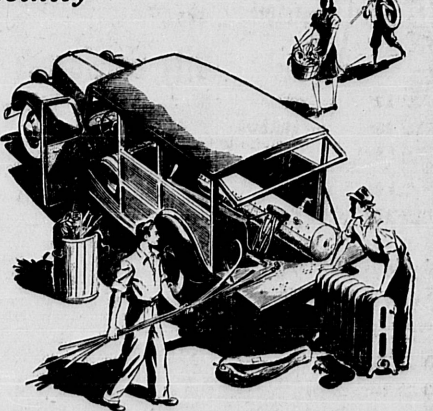
son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Huber, left Monday for London, Connecticut. He is in the Coast Guard service.

HAROLD TREZISE

was guest of honor last Sunday when his mother, Mrs. Erna Trezise entertained at dinner for him, prior to his departure to San Diego for Naval training. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trezise, August Trezise, Mr. and Mrs. August Schulz and daughter of Lynwood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Linder of Redondo Beach, Mr. Carlyle Linder and other guests from Glendora.

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