

SOCIETY and Club

MRS. STEVENSON HOSTESS TO CLUB

The home of Mrs. A. P. Stevenson on El Prado was the meeting place for Thursday afternoon club members when they met for a dessert luncheon last week. Club guests that day were Mrs. H. M. Haynes and Mrs. Miller. Prize winners were Misses F. H. Clark, Frank Shields, Miller and McManus.

EASTERN STARS TO HOLD 'COURTESY NIGHT'

"Courtesy Night" will be observed by members of Torrance Chapter No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star at Masonic Temple this evening. On this occasion members who have never held office will occupy the stations. Mrs. R. R. Smith will discuss Red Cross activities following the ritualistic meeting. Mrs. Helene Miller will have charge of the dining room where Valentine refreshments will be served.

LUNCHEON PARTY PRECEDES BRIDGE

Mrs. W. I. Laughon entertained at an attractively appointed luncheon at her home on El Prado last Thursday afternoon. At the luncheon tables, centered with an arrangement of calla lilies, covers were placed for eight guests. Later contract awards were presented to Misses W. J. Neelands and A. H. Siligo.

P. E. CHEERIO CLUB MEETS FRIDAY

Members of the P. E. Cheerio Club will be entertained at luncheon tomorrow (Friday) beginning at 12:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Ruppel at 938 Arlington ave. Hostesses will be Misses J. B. Green and C. Shoup of Los Angeles. Mrs. A. W. Kitto will preside at the short business session and a social hour will follow.

J. C. SMITH WEDS MRS. C. STEPHAN

J. C. Smith of the Torrance Investment Co. and Mrs. Cecelia Stephan of Los Angeles were married last Friday in Los Angeles and are now at home at 1451 El Prado. Mrs. Stephan and Smith are friends of more than 25 years standing and he has handled her extensive property interests in Torrance and Los Angeles for the past several years. They both came to California from Independence, Kansas. The marriage is the second for both parties.

METHODIST WOMEN WILL MEET FEB 11

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Thursday, Feb. 11, at 10:30 a. m. Luncheon will be served at noon, followed by a short playlet.

METHODIST WOMEN INSTALL OFFICERS

Mrs. Turner McBaine, conference officer of Los Angeles, was installing officer at a recent meeting of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service.

The following were inducted: Mrs. Grace Hooper, president; Mrs. Harry Gray, vice-president; Mrs. Russell Paxton, recording secretary; Mrs. Paul Findley, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. E. Stanley, financial secretary; Mrs. S. William Bartholomew, treasurer; Mrs. Harry Branton, missionary education; Mrs. Ray Myers, Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. E. N. Tomkins, secretary of supplies; Mrs. Ada Cramer, secretary of literature; Mrs. Patxon, Sr., chairman of spiritual life; Mrs. Marie Shanahan, chairman of fellow-ship committee; Mrs. W. H. Artrup, chairman of publicity; Misses Leondrus Stamps, Stewart Holland, Marie Shanahan, William Bartholomew, E. N. Tomkins and D. C. Turner, leaders.

MRS. WILLIAMS HAS CLUB LUNCHEON

Mrs. C. W. Williams received club members at her home last Thursday afternoon where luncheon covers were placed for eight guests and later contract awards were presented to Misses Fred Foster and E. J. Gilkinson.

WILMINGTON PARK ADDRESS GROUP

Rev. Charles H. Swift of Wilmington Christian church was guest speaker at a meeting of Christian church Missionary Society at the church Tuesday afternoon, when he discussed "Mexico, Our Friendly Neighbor." The afternoon session was preceded by a meeting of the Women's Council and a luncheon served by Circle No. 1.

SUB DEBS TO HOLD CANTEN DANCE

Members of Torrance Sub-Debt Club will sponsor a dance to be held soon. Proceeds will be used for a fund for the organization of a canteen where servicemen stationed here may be entertained. Club-deb members working on the project are the Misses Katy Haggard, Doris Faucett, Etha Matthews, Karna Deiminger, Louise Van, Helen Carlson, Eleanor Garland, Pat Whitney, Diane Stanton, Olga Dollar, Gloria Esbaugh and Enid Weis.

DINNER GUESTS

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Mort at 1221 Cota ave. were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Pettitt of Manhattan Beach and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Campbell of Hollywood. Mr. and Mrs. Pettitt are the parents of Miss Mort's fiancé, Mr. Ralph Pettitt.

COURTESY OFFICERS

Mrs. Alice Mort, royal matron, Redondo Court of Amaranth, accompanied by Mrs. Emily Hickman, junior past matron, and Frank Brown, royal patron, were courtesy officers when they attended Daylight Court at Los Angeles Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weigand of Whittier and formerly of this city were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford, Sr.

Miss Adelaide Baker of Beverly Hills was a recent houseguest at the Ray Steppy home here.

CALIFORNIA SPEAKS!

Significant Statements by Interesting Californians

ATTY. GEN. ROBERT KENNY, L. A. "We can't put a child in cold storage for the duration. A child can't wait, like dishes in the sink, until we get home from work to attend to him."

LARRY HOLMES, Oakland steel worker "If you can dance you can walk a girder 20 stories up. Only don't lean too heavy on the wind. Some guys have been embarrassed to death by it."

CAPT. WILLARD RITTS of torpedoed cruiser Northampton "It's hard for me to understand strikes right now. Those people fighting and dying down there are the same kind as are expected to turn out war tools here."

LARRY WALSH, Marin County Income Tax Expert, indicted for "rebellious use of collections" "I'm just a bad bookkeeper, that's all."

CONNIE NORDEN, Red Cross worker just returned from Alaska "If you're looking for a proposal, go to Alaska. It's an achievement there to stay single."
C. E. WILSON, WPB, Santa Monica "If saboteurs broke into this plant and destroyed 41 bombers the nation would be aghast. It is no less a national disaster because this month's loss, caused by absence from the job, is not headlined from coast to coast."

THEATRE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford, Sr., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Blair, attended a theatre in Hollywood Sunday evening.

At present, about 15 per cent of the total United States munitions production is going to our allies under Lend-Lease and by direct purchase.

SEVEN ARRESTS HERE

Seven arrests, four for intoxication, and two for driving while intoxicated were made by Torrance police last weekend.

STORKATORIALS

Following are the new arrivals of the week at Torrance Memorial hospital:

ROBIN RAE THOMAS... was born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Thomas of 1915 Gramercy ave., Jan. 29, weighing 7 pounds 12 ounces. She has a 20-month-old

sister, Linda Gail. Her father is employed at the D & M Machine Shops and her mother is the former Bettie Dalton. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dalton of Torrance and Mrs. Zella Thomas of Long Beach, while the great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dalton of Torrance and Mrs. Mathis of Los Angeles.

DONALD ARTHUR GASTON...

was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Gaston of 2214 Mariposa ave., Jan. 27, weighing 8 pounds. His father is employed at the Douglas plant in Long Beach and his mother is the former Lois Roberts Clifton. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clifton, all of Redlands.

GARY NELSON HARTZELL...

arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartzell of Manhattan Beach, Jan. 31, weighing 8 pounds 9 ounces. His father is employed at the General Petroleum refinery and his mother is the former Mae Frances Haas. The grandparents are Mrs. Edna Hartzell of Hawthorne and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson J. Haas of Manhattan Beach.

ROBIN LYN MURPHY...

was welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. William

J. Murphy of Manhattan Beach, Feb. 1, weighing 8 pounds 10 ounces. She has a sister, Patricia, five. Her father is employed at M. G. M. studios and her mother is the former Virginia Helen Anthony. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy of Redondo Beach and Mrs. L. Helen Stiles of Manhattan Beach.

SHARON SUE BOWEN...

was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen of Gardena, Jan. 31, weighing 6 pounds 4 ounces. She has a seven-year-old brother, Robert George. Her father is a crane man at the National Supply plant and her mother is the former Hazel Denney. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Denney of 2615 22nd st. and Mrs. Mattie Bradford of Martha, Tenn.

SUSAN IRENE EMBREY...

was greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Embrey of Redondo Beach, Jan. 31, weighing 6 pounds 10 ounces. Her father is employed at Northrup Aircraft and her mother is the former Irene Birch. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Embrey, Mancelona, Mich., and Paul Birch, Redondo Beach.

DEWEY RONALD GILBERT...

arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey

Gilbert of Lomita, Jan. 27, weighing 7 pounds 1 ounce. His father is employed at Calship and his mother is the former Esther Gaston. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaston of Lomita.

BABY TOWNSEND...

was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Townsend of Torrance, Feb. 2, at Babby Knolls Maternity hospital in Long Beach, weighing 7 1/2 pounds. His father is superintendent at the D & M Machine Shops. The baby

has a brother, Ben, Jr., 3, and a sister, Cora Lee, 10.

LARRY ROBERT RELSTAD...

was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Relstad of 1903 Andros ave., Feb. 1, at San Pedro hospital weighing 3 pounds 5 ounces. His father is in the Navy and his mother is the former Dorothy Marie Weber. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Relstad of San Pedro and Mr. and Mrs. Gus D. Weber of Torrance.

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CARROTS Fresh young carrots. Top are off.	lb. 5c	LEMONS 5c Full of juice.
CABBAGE Crisp, fresh and solid. For slow or boiling.	lb. 4c	LETTUCE 13c Green, solid heads.
		SQUASH 3c Banana variety.
		CELERY 12c Utah type, green.

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BEAN RECIPES YOU'LL LIKE

OLD-FASHIONED BAKED BEANS
2 cups dried navy beans, 1/2 tsp. dry mustard, 6 tbsps. tomato catsup, 1 large onion, 1 tbsps. molasses, 2 tps. salt.
Pick over and wash beans. Cook slowly in water to tender in 3 to 4 qt. kettle, covered, until tender, about 2 hours, adding more water if needed to keep beans covered with liquid. Drain off bean liquid into small bowl. Place salt pork in bottom of deep baking pan or 3 1/2-qt. bean crock. Add beans. Insert slices of onion. Mix remaining ingredients with bean liquid and pour over beans. Cover and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 4 hours or until well browned, removing cover last hour of baking. Add more water if beans become dry during baking. Serves 6 to 8.
NOTE: If salt pork is not available substitute 4 tbsps. bacon drippings combined with liquid mixture. Other kinds of beans may be used as lima, pink, or kidney beans.

KIDNEY BEAN CABBAGE SALAD
1 medium-size head cabbage, 1/2 cup thinly-sliced celery, 1/4 cup coarsely-chopped sweet pickles, 1 tsp. finely-chopped onion, 1/4 tsp. salt, 1/2 cup mayonnaise or salad dressing, 3 cups cooked dried kidney beans.
Carefully hollow out cabbage head to make salad "bowl," leaving 1-inch wall. Finely shred 4 cups of the cabbage. Combine shredded cabbage, celery, pickles, onion, salt, and mayonnaise or salad dressing; add kidney beans and toss lightly to mix. Place cabbage bowl on bed of cabbage leaves on serving plate; fill with salad mixture. Garnish with mayonnaise and sprinkle with paprika. Serves 6 to 8.
NOTE: For simple luncheon, serve with split, toasted French rolls, pickles, olives, celery, hot beverage, and for dessert mixed fruit compote and cookies.

CEREALS, CRACKERS, ETC.

Post Tens Assorted Cereals	per pkg. 23c
Kix Delicious Corn Cereal	7-oz. pkg. 11c
Grape-Nuts Flakes (7-ounce package, 9c)	20-oz. pkg. 13c
Ralston Oats (48-ounce package, 21c)	8-oz. pkg. 14c
Gerber's Cereal Also Gerber's Oatmeal	8-oz. pkg. 14c
Clapp's Cereal Also Clapp's Oatmeal	8-oz. pkg. 14c
Guthrie Sodas Crisp Crackers, 12-1b. pkg., 23c	1-1b. box 12c
Graham Crackers Guthrie Brand, 12-1b. box, 25c	2-1b. box 13c
Sunshine Cookies Coconut Tally Bars	9-oz. pkg. 15c

SUGAR & HONEY

Sugar Cane or Beet (50-pound bag, 32c)	2-1b. bag 13c
Superior Honey	2-1b. jar 48c
Boyden's Honey	2-1b. jar 47c

OTHER LOW PRICES

Sanka Drip Regular or Diet	1-1b. jar 36c
Hills Bros. Coffee Blue Can Brand	1-1b. pkg. 27c
Extra Large Prunes Heart's Delight Brand	1-1b. pkg. 15c
Diamond Walnuts Large Budded Walnuts	1-1b. box 35c
Puritas Mustard	30-oz. jar 15c
NoMade Mayonnaise (half-pint jar, 16c)	1-pint jar 29c
Minute Man Soup Dry Mix—Noodle or Vegetable	3-pkg. can 26c

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Yeast Fleischmann Brand	3-pkg. 10c
Kool Cigarettes (Carton \$1.33)	2-pkg. for 27c
Felix Cat Food	2-1-oz. 15c
Dog Food Strongheart Brand	2-1-oz. 15c
Marco Dog Food	2-1-oz. 15c
Swan Soap For Dishes or Bc	1-1b. bar 10c
Grandpa Tar Soap	8-oz. bar 5c
Sunbrite Cleanser	13-oz. can 15c
Scotch Cleanser Triple Action	2-14-oz. cans 19c
Holly Lye	13-oz. can 9c
Cecil Bruner Broom	each 73c
Lady Fair Broom	each 49c
Ruby Broom	each 95c
Toothpicks Diamond Brand	3 boxes 10c
Goodwin's Sub-Amo	quart bottle 18c
Rain Drops Water Softener	1 1/2-lb. pkg. 23c

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