

## Woman's Club Plans Lorita Valley Lecture Series

Lorita Baker Valley, distinguished commentator on world affairs and current literature, will be presented by Torrance Woman's Club in a series of three lectures to be held at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia ave., on October 17, 1945, and on February 20 and April 17, 1946.

The lecture series will afford a splendid opportunity not only to clubwomen but to all those interested in such problems as political, racial and social adjustments, world federation, world policing — the new role of the Orient, the Valley's discussion of current literature is unsurpassed. The programs are scheduled for 10:45 a.m. on the above mentioned dates which are the third Wednesday of those respective months.

Tickets are being sold by club women and a special rate for the complete series is available. For further information those interested are asked to call Mrs. A. H. Silligo, ways and means chairman, at Torrance 166.

## THURSDAY CLUB AT HAGGARD HOME

The home of Mrs. Ruth Haggard in Los Angeles was the meeting place for members of the Thursday Afternoon Club when they were entertained at luncheon last week. Mrs. H. S. MacManus and Mrs. Frank Shields were prize winners.

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## GATEWAY COUNCIL OUTLINES ACTIVITIES

At a recent meeting of Gateway Council P.T.A., tentative plans for the ensuing year's schedule were outlined as follows: October, Banning; November, San Pedro; January, Torrance; February, Narbonne; March, annual reports at the home of Mrs. V. E. Hopkins; April, Dana Junior; and June, Gardena.

Those present were: Mrs. V. E. Hopkins, president of the council; Mrs. R. L. Thompson, Mrs. Kenneth Schwartz, Mrs. Charles Lindquist, Mrs. J. J. Millard, Mrs. L. A. Stump, Narbonne; Mrs. William Hall, Mrs. O. M. Benton, San Pedro; Mrs. L. F. Watson, Mrs. A. C. Turner, Torrance; Mrs. Jay Sanders, Mrs. M. E. Harp, Banning; Mrs. George Tamble, Mrs. F. K. Klebingat, Dana Junior High School P.T.A.; Mrs. O. Guinn was a guest.

A list of Gateway Council officers and chairmen who will serve during 1945-46 follows: President, Mrs. V. E. Hopkins; first and second vice presidents, Mmes. R. Dutton and J. J. Millard; secretary, George Tamble; treasurer, A. C. Turner; and historian, E. Rowan; auditor, Eugene B. Morey.

Chairmen who will serve are: Mmes. Robert Thompson, parliamentarian; M. C. Isaacson, association goals; Max Schatz, Founders Day; J. S. Dresser, program service; J. J. Millard, membership; L. F. Johnson, study group coordinator; F. K. Klebingat; publicity, R. Dutton, hospitality; Charles Robertson, life membership; Roy Stanton, war chest cooperation; A. Stump, consumer information; A. L. Roberts, art and O. M. Benton, home service.

## SPANISH DINNER MARKS WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Their tenth wedding anniversary was the occasion for a recent enjoyable dinner party when Mr. and Mrs. Tom M. Saine entertained at their home, 1503 Acacia ave.

A Spanish motif was cleverly followed for invitations, menu and table decorations. Games and group singing followed the presentation of a handsome group gift by the guests, all married just ten years ago, who were: Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Short, Hartley E. Carr, Kenneth F. Ruffell and Roy K. Newkirk.

TO DENVER: Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Dodd and children left Sunday for a vacation at Denver, Colo.

## Women of Moose Install New Officers

In an impressive ritualistic ceremony performed Sunday evening at Moose Hall, 1961 Carson st., officers of Torrance Chapter, No. 44, Women of the Moose, were installed in the presence of a capacity crowd of members and friends.

Those installed were Ionia Steele, senior regent; Margaret Marsh, junior regent; Martha Evans, recorder; Lottie Phillips, treasurer; Virginia Powell, chaplain; Cora Hill, Argus; Marie Kosiak, sentinel; Lela Heglin, junior grand regent; Golda Beight and Eve MacArthur, senior regent's escorts and Lucille Meyer, pianist.

Anna Wilken, who served as installing regent was assisted by: Vertie Grimm, installing guide; Elsie Smith, installing chaplain; Marie Bankston, installing pianist; Ruth Kidd, drill captain.

Bessie Lovitt of Long Beach; grand regent of the College of Regents, gave a fine talk on Moose Lodge goals and presented a grand regent's pin and certificate to Mrs. Wilken. Emily Mills, grand dean of friendship, was also heard in an inspirational talk.

A handsome basket of roses, gladioli and stock, a gift of Moose Lodge, No. 785, was presented to Mrs. Steele, by Harry Raymond, governor. Flowers and congratulatory messages were also sent to her from friends from surrounding communities.

Representatives were present from Compton, Long Beach, San Pedro and Whittier, Women of the Moose chapters.

Proceeding the installation rites the stations were filled by members of the Torrance Moose Lodge. A reception and dancing followed.

## Girl Scout Day Camp Plans Are Outlined

To-Lo-Ga-Wa, Girl Scout day camp to open in Torrance City Park, Tuesday, July 10, and to continue through August 2 will have sessions each Tuesday and Thursday from 9:30 until 3:30.

The day camp will be under the direction of Mrs. Elsie Church and Mrs. Sally Kirsch and will have a registration of 320 as compared with last year's 125 registrants.

The following leaders will serve and 18 units will be formed: Torrance, Mmes. Wolf and Baer; Lomita, Kastrup, Ritko, Ford, Kaempfer, Epperheimer, Brocklesby, and Dow; Welteria, Michels; Harbor City, Reagen; Gardena, Rush, Murdy, Hood, Smith, Albin, Ledtke and Dickerson.

Each leader will have one or two assistants. Mrs. Schlagenhauff will be first aider and the following ladies will serve as nursery chairmen: Mmes. Peigh, and Mady, Delores Brocklesby, Mmes. Jowell and Brown will be storekeepers and Mrs. Grace Wright will serve as registration chairman and receptionist.

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## CATHOLIC PARTY THIS EVENING

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic card party are Mesdames Margaret Reeves, Felker, Becker, Comon, Rose Jones, Moore, Hornell, Paul Schrader, John Frederick, Donald and Litchett.

Everyone is cordially invited. The first door prize will be drawn at 8:00 o'clock and games of contract and auction bridge, pinocle and 500 will begin immediately. Refreshments will be served.

## GRANDSON WEDS AT ARLINGTON, VA.

Capt. Victor John Thompson, U.S.A.A.F., recently exchanged wedding vows with Miss Mary Patricia Koerner of Arlington, Va. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thompson and a grandson of Rev. B. H. Lingenfelter of this city.



HONEYMOONERS... Cpl. Richard Stephens and his bride, who were wed Saturday evening at St. Andrew's Episcopal church. Chaplain Oscar Taylor, who flew from his base in Virginia for the wedding, and Chaplain Colony performed the double-ring candlelight service in the presence of 200 guests.

## Colette Nance Presents Pupils In Sunday Recital

Before an audience which crowded the studio to capacity, Colette Nance, concert pianist and teacher, presented a group of her pupils in recital Sunday evening at her Hermosa Beach Studio, 2022 Rhodes ave.

The following program was played: "Bagpipes in Dundee" (Crist) and "Song of the Bell" (Eckstein) by Jerry Lee;

"March of the Boy Scouts" (Gaynor) and "Tommy's New Drum" (Preston) by Merle Smith;

"Valse Reverie" (Eckstein) and "Hungary" (Hatch) by Donna Lee Smith;

"Elegy" (Massenet) and "English Country Dance" (Seymour) by Patty Joe Moore;

"Russian Rhapsody" (Thompson) and "The Pines" (Matthews) by Ruth Shimnick;

"Valse in E flat" (Durand) and "Hungary" (Koelling) by Constance Welch;

"Warsaw Concerto" (Addinell) by Nancy Ann Whyte;

"Valse C sharp Minor" (Chopin) and "Malaguena" (Lecuona) by Eunice Abramson;

"Deux Arabesques" (Debussy) and "Prelude in G Minor" (Rachmaninoff) by Thelma Floe;

"Praeludium" (MacDowell) and "Concerto — First Movement" (Grieg) by Helion Alice Trafzer.

## Marriage Licenses

Michael A. Lorio, 1413 W. 216th st., Margaret D. Beatty, 1413 W. 216th st.

Cerado S. Bacus, Box 146, Harbor City; Rosal A. Asis, 331 E. 223rd st.

Gerald W. Bogue, 832 W. 68th st., 44; Henrietta Celde, 1650 286th st., Lomita.

## NAVY MOTHERS PLAN EVENING CARD PARTY

Little Hills Navy Mothers Club No. 157 will hold a benefit card party at V.F.W. Hall, Lomita, Friday evening, July 6. A door prize will be drawn at 8:00 o'clock and card play will follow immediately. Everyone is invited. Refreshments will be served.

## Junior Clubwomen Report Meetings; Plan Beach Party

Installation of officers of Torrance Junior Woman's Club was an enjoyable affair at the clubhouse last week when the following officers were inducted:

Mrs. H. L. Wagner Jr., president; Mrs. Harold Bramsen, first vice president; Mrs. Robert Trezise, second vice president; Mrs. O. W. Hakanson, secretary; Mrs. Paul Justice, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Moore, Mrs. H. E. Massie, co-sponsors.

The following well arranged program was enjoyed:

"Who Is Sylvia?" and "Little Boy Blue" sung by Burdette Brimley; "In the Morning" and "In the Pantry," readings by Mrs. H. L. Wagner Jr.

Vocal solo by Mrs. Irene Findley Sage; "Thine Alone" (Victor Herbert), and "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" (Jerome Kern).

"Wanting You" (Oscar Hammerstein) was sung as a duet by Mrs. Sage and Burdette Brimley. O. Henry's "A Harlem Tragedy" reading by Mrs. Wagner was followed by a vocal solo, "Macushla" by Burdette Brimley.

Mrs. Paul Findley played the accompaniment for the vocalists. In a fine talk Mrs. B. Harry Manlove of Los Angeles District Federation of Women's clubs, created much interest for the club women who plan to become federated soon.

The home of Mrs. C. W. Bartholomew, at 1423 Acacia ave., was the meeting place for a committee of club women Monday evening who planned a beach party to be held at Redondo Beach, Wednesday evening, July 11. Members and guests will gather at the clubhouse to arrange transportation. About 40, including members, prospective members and other friends will be entertained, according to Mrs. Bartholomew, chairman.

## A.L.A. President Is Honor Guest At Dinner Party

Complimenting Mrs. Emma Evans, who has served as president of American Legion Auxiliary of Bert S. Crossland Post, No. 170, officers and chairmen entertained at an attractively appointed dinner party Friday evening.

At the table, lovely with an arrangement of pastel and white blossoms covers were placed for about 20. Preceding the dinner a handsome group gift was presented with an expression of appreciation for their leader's splendid work during the year.

Later the ladies were entertained at the home of Mrs. Bea Burchett, 1517 El Prado, where cards were the diversion with Mmes. Fan Wilkes and Merle Youngken as prize winners.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held at 7:45 p.m., Tuesday, July 10, at the newly decorated St. Andrew's Guild Hall, where election of officers and other important business will be transacted.

## CARSON STREET SCHOOL REPORTS GRADUATION

The graduating class of Carson Street School entertained their parents and friends Thursday afternoon with a short skit entitled, "Fairland Books" in which each child portrayed a character from a well-known book.

Mrs. Zillgitt, principal, gave a brief address and refreshments were served to the graduates by the P.T.A. Those graduating were: Lourdes Dario, Coita Herrera, Geraldine Kennedy, Geraldine Hill, Audree Fowler, Peggy Quick, Mary Hutton, Beverly Hansen, Louise Reid, Henrietta Ashcraft, Barbara Degosh, Willie Lopez, Jim Berry, Bobby McCoy, Wayne Branning, Johnny Gasco, Billy Anders, Jerry Jones, Patrick Laine and Thomas Gutierrez.

AT SORORITY LUNCHEON Mrs. H. M. Schott joined a group of Phi Kappa Gamma Sorority members Saturday at luncheon at the Tropics, Hollywood.

## Mrs. Lola Hoover Arranges Dinner Thursday Evening

More than 40, including members of the board of directors and service chairmen of Torrance branch, American Red Cross, were delightfully entertained Thursday evening of last week at a dinner meeting at Civic Auditorium, arranged by Mrs. Lola Hoover, a branch chairman.

Mrs. Mildred Sherk, as guest speaker, held the group's rapt interest for well over an hour while she recounted her experiences as a Japanese prisoner of war in the Philippines.

Mrs. Hoover, in presenting Mrs. Sherk, introduced Mayor W. H. Tolson and Chief of Police John Stroh, who extended their best wishes to the speaker.

## UTAH VACATION

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