

VFW Auxiliary to Select Delegates, Plan Campaign



Auxiliary Leader . . . Mrs. Beatrice Vaca, who recently was installed as president of the auxiliary of VFW Post 3261.

VFW Auxiliary to Post 3261 will hold a special meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening at 1753 Gramercy avenue. Purpose of the session is to elect delegates to the district convention.

Plans for the annual Buddy Poppy sales campaign are being formulated. Goal of the drive is care of disabled veterans and maintenance of the VFW national home for widows and orphans of deceased or totally disabled veterans. The need this year is greater than ever, the sponsoring group reports.

Lutheran Group Plans Visit to Chinchilla Farm

The Junior Mission Band of First Lutheran Church will meet on Saturday Morning May 19, at 11 o'clock. Their program will include a trip to the Chinchilla Farms.

Women's Activities

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TORRANCE HERALD

Fifteen



Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marvin Adkisson

Jessie Louise Quigley Now Mrs. Johnnie M. Adkisson

Lovely in a white gabardine suit accented with blue accessories and carrying white carnations and lilies of the valley on her matching prayerbook, Miss Jessie Louise Quigley recited vows Saturday evening to become the bride of Mr. Johnnie Marvin Adkisson, of this city. Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor of First Baptist Church, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The charming blonde bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey W. Quigley of 1606 Crenshaw boulevard and her husband's parents are Mrs. Gladys Fries of Porterville and Mr. Manuel Adkisson of Missouri.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baker of this city, uncle and aunt of the bridegroom. Mrs. Baker was beautifully attired in pink gabardine com-

plemented with a pink rose-bud corsage.

A small reception followed at the home of the bride's parents where Mrs. Quigley received in natural shanting with a corsage of violets.

All-white blossoms were used throughout the rooms and the tiered wedding cake was flanked with white tapers in crystal holders.

Mrs. Adkisson was graduated from Torrance High School with the class of June '49 and attended Metropolitan Business College. She is presently employed as a secretary-cashier with Personal Finance's Torrance office.

Her bridegroom, who received his early education in eastern schools has been employed with National Supply Company for the past three years. They will be at home at 911 Portola avenue.

—Photo Arts Studio

Club Plans Rummage, Card Party

Next ways and means project for Torrance Woman's Club is a rummage sale being planned by Mrs. A. E. Fisher for May 25 and 26. Location of the sale is the former Kiddie Lane Shop, 1316 Sartori avenue.

Everyone is asked to support the sale and if possible have clothing and other rummage at the store on the afternoon of May 24 for segregation and pricing.

Everything is in readiness for the progressive party for Monday evening in members' homes. Approximately 25 tables of canasta and bridge will be in play, according to Special Events Chairman, Mrs. Lee A. McCoy.

RNAs Plan Card Party May 22

The R.N.A. Friendship Sewing Circle will hold a monthly afternoon card party Tuesday, May 22, at St Andrews Guild Hall on Engracia avenue.

Dessert luncheon will be served at 12:30, after which canasta, pinocle and buncio will be played. Prizes will be awarded for high scores.

The president of the Circle, Mrs. Luella Meyer, and her committee invite the public to these monthly card parties.

MEXICO TRIP ENJOYABLE FOR TORRANCITES

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Beaman, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Hyde returned Saturday by plane from two weeks' vacation in Old Mexico.

Of special interest were their visits of Mexico City, Guadalajara, and Acapulco. The colorful festival atmosphere of Puebla was delightful during the Cinco de Mayo celebrations as were similar national holiday observances throughout Mexico.

C. R. Smiths Feted at Dinner Party

Arranged as a post nuptial courtesy for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Smith (Mrs. Almeda Smith), Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Peer entertained recently in their Anapola avenue home. Assisting with party arrangements were Mrs. Juanita Begue and Miss Florine Franklin.

The delicious turkey dinner was concluded with a dessert course which featured a festive wedding cake.

Decorative candles in candelabra and an arrangement of gold and blue Dutch iris formed the centerpiece for the dining table set for Mr. and Mrs. Smith, her mother, Mrs. Flora Emery, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maak. Mrs. Herbert Holmes, Mrs. Ida Tarpenning, Mrs. Begue, Miss Franklin and the hosts.

Beautiful gifts for their new home were presented to the newlywed couple.

Red Cross Sets Meet Tomorrow

Torrance Branch, American Red Cross, will meet at 1 p.m. tomorrow in Chamber of Commerce building. Mrs. Don H. Hyde, chairman, just returned from a vacation in Old Mexico, will preside. A full attendance is requested.

ATTEND WORKSHOP

Mrs. Everett Purcell, Public Relations Chairman for the Harbor Area Girl Scouts, and Mrs. W. E. Walton, publicity chairman for Torrance district, Friday attended a public relations workshop held at the Assistance League in Los Angeles. Principal speakers were Mrs. Charles Jeffries, who gave hints on public speaking, and Mrs. Wanda Phillips of the Beverly Hills Citizens who gave instructions for preparing newspaper publicity.

Light is the task where many share the toil.

— Homer



Torrance DeMolay Mothers . . . Were hostesses Saturday to the Grand Council DeMolay Mothers Circle at luncheon for 200 served in Masonic Temple. Pictured are, left, Mrs. Gladys Feistel, 2nd vice president of Grand Council of DeMolay Mothers Circle, Southern Jurisdiction; Mrs. Evelyn C. Mead, vice president; Judge W. R. McKay, immediate past Master Concellor of International Order of DeMolay; Mrs. Beatrice Pretzinger, grand president, Mothers Circle and Mrs. L. S. Baca, 10th District PTA president, who was guest speaker for the occasion. Staff photo

GAY SHOP LEADS The Parade!



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SLACKS 3.98

Reg. \$19.95
All Wool Covert
TOPPER 15



1271 SARTORI

TORRANCE

Las Vecinas Club Plans Fashion Luncheon 24th

A Spring Fashion Luncheon will be the main attraction at the Las Vecinas monthly meeting next Thursday, May 24 at 12:30 p.m. at the Hollywood Riviera Club.

With Mrs. Delbert Donk commenting, the Fashion Show will feature sports and summer styles. Members will be contacted for reservations. Anyone interested in attending may call Mrs. Chris Hall at Frontier 51549. Admission of \$1.50 will be charged. All proceeds will be used for philanthropic purposes.

Children's latest styles will be modeled by Miss Bonnie Baldwin, Miss Nancy Weber and Master Stephen Byrd, children of the members. Las Vecinas members modeling the fashions are: Mesdames Eugene Byrd, David Hurford, Walter Hall, Leon-

ard Doyle, Bernard Beaird, Howard Baldwin, O. O. Garritano, Arnold Stohman, William Schmitz and Alan McLaren.

Also on the agenda will be the annual election of officers. Mrs. Pauline Doyle will be in charge of ballots.

Card Party Planned by Auxiliary

The Auxiliary of Bert S. Crossland Post 170 will entertain at a card party in their clubhouse at 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, May 22.

Everyone is invited to attend these parties according to the president, Mrs. Annie Olson.

New Baby Is Mothers Day Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Van Kralingen Jr. are the proud parents of an 8-pound, six-ounce son born on Mothers Day at Navy Hospital, Ocean-side.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Van Kralingen Sr., of 2304 Gramercy avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shew of Date avenue.

The baby's daddy is a seaman, U.S.N., stationed at Pearl Harbor.

DO YOU KNOW

That the Memorial poppies are made of red crepe paper, by hand, by disabled veterans in hospitals and poppy workrooms in forty states, and that the workers receive pay for each poppy made, the material being furnished free by the Department in the state in which the hospital is located?

PTA President Expresses Appreciation

Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, Hall district PTA president, wishes to thank the many members who helped make the bake sale held Saturday, May 12, so successful.

Proceeds from the sale will be used for the annual teachers dinner to be held Wednesday evening, May 23.