



GARDEN SETTING... Tables for the luncheon to be sponsored Wednesday by the PTA of Torrance Elementary School will be placed in the attractive patio of Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, 2724 Arlington Ave., and inside the house. Teachers, PTA members and friends from the community have been bidden to the affair which from 11:30 until 1 p.m. will feature baked ham and all the trimmings. Paused about the table in the Moffitt garden are Mrs. Hartley Carr, PTA president; Mmes. M. A. Bauman, Kenneth Sexton and R. E. Moffitt. Reservations for the luncheon may be made with Mrs. Moffitt. (Herald photo).

COME AS YOU ARE PARTY SCHEDULED BY CRENSHAW PTA

Feminine members of Crenshaw PTA should don their prettiest house dresses each morning this week, for a come-as-you-are breakfast is being planned by the PTA officers. Date of the informal get-together will not be announced, but bright and early one morning cars will go to each member's house to pick her up and transport her to the home of Mrs. John Robertson, 18226 Haas Ave., Arlington Plaza. Donations of 25 cents will be asked to help fill the currently non-jingling PTA treasury.

TWO JOIN SORORITY

Two new members were initiated into Tau Delta Omega non-academic sorority during a meeting April 7 in the Inglewood home of Mrs. Jackie Co-burn. Taken into the sorority were Mrs. Ruth Owens and Mrs. Earline Walker. Corsages in the sorority's colors were presented the women by Mrs. Clara Swanson, president, who also greeted former member Mrs. Kay Shelton, a guest at the meeting. Cards were played during the remainder of the evening, with prizes going to Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. Jean Mendenhall. The group had a second meeting this month Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Martha Co-burn.

Julie Menni, Roland Carlson United in Afternoon Ceremony

Among the loveliest weddings of the season was the early afternoon ceremony at Nativity Catholic Church April 19 uniting petite Julie Menni and Roland Carlson.

Gowned in imported French Chantilly lace fashioned with a bouffant skirt of nylon net and nylon-tulle over shimmering satin, pretty Miss Menni was escorted to the altar by her father, Marino D. Menni.

She was preceded down the aisle by her bridal entourage, her sister, Miss Anita Menni, maid of honor; Mrs. Hazel Grasinger and Miss Ethyl Paramore, bridesmaids; Gwenn Carlson, the little flower girl; and Vincent Latoro, ringbearer.

The bride carried a cascade of stephanotis and lilies of the valley, centered with two white orchids. Her attendants carried cascade bouquets of yellow roses and sweet peas matching their gowns.

Yellow net and lace were used for the dress of the maid of honor, while those of the bridesmaids were fashioned of orchid net. Each wore a picture hat with long satin streamers. The flower girl was attired in a dress of pale green nylon marquisette. She carried a basket of yellow rose and orchid sweet pea petals, and wore a head-dress of yellow roses.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marino D. Menni of 2375 Maricopa Pl. Her husband, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. Carlson of Paradise, Calif., chose Don Mattara to serve as his best man, Henry Carlson and...



MR. AND MRS. ROLAND CARLSON ... To Live in Paradise

Women's Activities

MARJIE MEYER - Editor



LOOKING THEM OVER... Artistic arrangements of spring flowers were created Monday afternoon by Bertha Doyle, instructor in the adult training classes at Compton College, for members of the Torrance Terrace Garden Club. Looking over some of the completed designs are Mrs. Wilfred Stevens, left, and Mrs. Douglas McClay, Miss Doyle, who spoke at the home of Mrs. Philip Lisman, 1503 Post Ave., also discussed the use of foliage and flowering shrubs, and methods of controlling buds for arrangements. (Herald photo).

Lohengrin Lines Link Names Of Ann Mondor, Robert Begano

Lovely Ann Phyllis Mondor was escorted to the altar of Nativity Catholic Church Sunday by her father, to become the bride of Robert Lou Begano, USN. Rev. Patrick J. McGuinness officiated at the morning nuptial ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mondor of 2765 Gramercy Ave. are the parents of the bride, who chose her sister, Barbara Ruth, to serve as maid of honor.

Mrs. Mondor designed her daughter's wedding gown, which was fashioned with a bodice of white slipper satin with a yoke of inset lace, and a skirt of nylon tulle over taffeta. The cathedral train was of nylon tulle edged in lace, and an illusion net veil fell from the headdress of net and seed pearls. A white orchid centered the bridal cascade bouquet of fleur d'amour and lilies-of-the-valley.

Gowns of the bridal entourage were styled alike with bodices of Chantilly lace and skirts of tulle over taffeta. The maid of honor's was tuchsia, while the bridesmaids, Bertha Olson, Betty Brannum and Joan Melvin, wore pastel shades of orchid, green and yellow. Flowers chosen for the attendants were yellow iris for the maid of honor, and pink and white carnations for the bridesmaids. Valerie Herrin, the flower girl, was attired in pale pink.

The benedict, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Begano of Starkville, Colo., was attended by Arthur Golden, Joseph Kennedy, James Gates and Claude Atkins seated the guests.

Grace Lafferty was soloist, accompanied by Minnie McConlogue on the organ.

Over 250 relatives and friends feted the newlyweds at a reception in American Legion Hall following the nuptials. Helen Stitt was in charge of the guest book while Marilyn Finch and Joan Zempke were hostesses.

The bride's mother wore a dress of Chantilly lace over pink taffeta, while the gown of the bridegroom's mother was of aqua silk crepe. Both wore orchid corsages.

Colorado and Yosemite are the honeymoon destinations of the young couple, who are taking a two-week trip by automobile. They will make their home in...

Fiestadores Dance Given

Spring is here and spring was the theme of the Los Fiestadores dance last Saturday evening in Portuguese Bend clubhouse.

Les Tronier's orchestra provided music for the dancing which began at 9:30. Hosts and hostesses were Messrs. and Mmes. Charles Schultz, Robert Treize and Ralph Ruggart.

Special mixer dances were a highlight of the affair. Vice president J. Parke Montague introduced three new couples during the evening. Messrs. and Mmes. Warren Perry, William Montgomery and Art Woodcock, Los Fiestadores' last dance of the current season will be given next month. It was announced.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT LOU BEGANO ... Honeymoon in Mountains

WEDNESDAY CIRCUS DAY

The circus is coming! Johnny Strong's one ring circus will arrive at Carson St. School Wednesday at 1 p.m. and give hourly performances during the afternoon.

Ponies, clowns and performing acts will be featured attractions of the annual carnival day sponsored by Carson St. PTA. Members will have a fish pond of prizes and offer refreshments of hot dogs, punch, coffee, doughnuts, ice cream, orange juice and popcorn. Tickets for the long-awaited event will be available at the school Tuesday and Wednesday for only 20 cents.

An open house in celebration of Public Schools Week will be given at Carson St. School from 7:30 until 9 p.m. Tuesday. Rooms will be open so that parents may see the work of their youngsters during the year. Refreshments will be served by the PTA in hughalow 11.

Cinco de Mayo restaurant was the scene of a festive luncheon Thursday hosted by Mrs. Jack Spence, president of Carson St. PTA, for members of her executive board.

Enjoying the affair were Mmes. James Luten, Alfred Barkla, Richard Landon, Russell Gilbert, Clarence Wittenberg, James Campbell, Carl Brooks, William Nott, Roy Garter and Charles Linn. Mrs. M. Q. Wallace, principal of the school, was a special guest. Mrs. Barkan told members of the state convention in San Francisco where she represented Carson St. PTA.

Recital Given By Pupils of Colette Nance

Pupils of Colette Nance presented a piano recital last Sunday afternoon in the residence studio of Mrs. Nance, 121 Via los Miradores in Hollywood Riviera.

Taking part in the musicals were Rebecca Wanske, Sharonne Mascola, Lynn McIrae, Dana Tenny, Loretta Robinson, Judy Clark, Mary Lou Hutchison (a pupil of Nadine Nickel), Kathy Curtis, Adele Ann Curtis, Carol Dee Campbell, Janet Poh and Patricia Clere.

Iron Curtain Life Related By Czech Man

Life behind the Iron Curtain lowered several years ago on Beverly Naef during the Harbor District Soroptimist Club luncheon Wednesday noon.

Sgt. Naef, a member of the Women's Air Force stationed at the San Pedro Post Office recruiting station, pointed out the need for additional facilities to house women coming to the area in increasing numbers.

Also heard was a report on the Southwestern Regional Convention in Coronado, given by members of the Harbor group who attended. Mrs. Hazel Scott Coomes conducted the meeting in the San Pedro YWCA.

Housing Need Stressed by Club Speaker

Accommodations available to women in the harbor area who are working or are wives of servicemen stationed in the vicinity were discussed by Sgt. Beverly Naef during the Harbor District Soroptimist Club luncheon Wednesday noon.

Plans for raising \$10,000 to build three additional dormitory rooms on the San Pedro YWCA were discussed at a Soroptimist session last week. The rooms will accommodate 20 girls.

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League Tea To Compliment New Members

Torrance members of the San Pedro Assistance League will join with other members of the group Tuesday to honor new associate and provisional members of the organization.

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Officers of the two new districts are being selected. Mrs. Polly Allison of Crenshaw is unopposed for president of the Northwestern group which includes clubs west of the Pasadena area, bounded by the Inglewood, Westchester and El Segundo vicinity on the south.

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