

Local OES Crowns Deputy Grand Matron As Queen

While a capacity crowd watched, Edna Babcock, deputy grand matron of the 90th District, Order of the Eastern Star, was crowned queen of the Torrance Chapter when she made her last official visit Thursday night.

Associate Matron Florence Viellenave and Associate Patron Marcus Edwards presented the crown, and also gave the honored leader a cup marked with the coronation emblem and a monetary gift, tokens of appreciation from the local officers for her work during the past year.

Frances Buckley, deputy grand matron for 1948, the year Mrs. Babcock served as worthy matron, was among the many guests witnessing the evening ceremonies.

The chapter exemplified balloting and initiation work with a

PTA Leaders Learn About Newspapers

Presidents and publicity chairman of PTA units in Torrance Council explored the newspaper world Monday morning, meeting at the Herald office to learn more about getting news of their activities into print.

Conducting the press conference, the second annual session, was Jack O. Baldwin, Herald managing editor.

Those gathered to hear his talk and tour the plant were the following: Mesdames I. O. Kasten and J. E. Popovich, Torrance High School; T. Rogers and F. Stoelke, North Torrance Elementary; W. A. Wright, O. Fagnano, and G. H. Blake, Perry; R. E. Moffitt, Torrance Elementary; Glenn Karhu and Carl Cramer, Walteria; Kerman Robinson, Fern Ave.-Greenwood; Robert G. Parke and C. G. Nollenberger, Seaside; L. Dyer and E. D'Oonnell, Madrona; L. A. Priesner, Crenshaw; H. E. Carr and J. L. Hinds, Torrance Council.



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Shower Fetes Mom-to-be Mrs. Lougee

Mr. Stork entered the 1640 Iris St. home of Mrs. Carl Bower Wednesday night last week when she and Mrs. Edward Mantych combined their talents as hostesses to honor Mrs. Dean Lougee with an "infantielating" shower.

The long-legged bird watched the honoree open gifts for the expected arrival from atop a blue and pink decorated cake centering the refreshment table. Tiny ceramic dippers marked the place setting of each of the 23 guests in attendance.

Mesdames L. Babcock and F. Franz captured top honors in two traditional shower games played during the evening. Others attending the affair were Mesdames R. Tripp, B. Peferson, N. Hartell, P. Wootter, R. Gray, S. Mantych, V. Rott, E. Goddard, H. Person, R. Lougee, R. O. Lougee, M. Edwards, V. Viellenave, H. Sonju, R. Sonju, A. Christensen, and T. Weir.

Entertainment was provided during the refreshment period by several Job's Daughters. Featured were Sidney Young, who dedicated two vocal solos to Mrs. Babcock; Janet Robinson and Alice Olson, who presented several dances; June Fearman, who twirled a baton; and Susan Babcock, who played two piano solos.

Walteria PTA President Names Committee Leaders

Committee leaders who will carry on the work of Walteria PTA during 1953-54 were ratified by Mrs. Carl Cramer, new president, when she conducted the first executive board session of the year at her home, 24439 Ward St., last Thursday evening.

Already making plans for one of the first fund-raising projects of the unit next fall, a Halloween carnival, are Mrs. C. W. Johnson, ways and means chairman, and her assistant, E. F. Schenover.

Carrying on tradition, a portion of the funds raised will go toward a purchasing honorary life memberships for citizens of the community who have done outstanding work in child welfare. Task of selecting the recipients of the award at the end of the school year will be in the hands of Mrs. Evar Jansson, Mrs. C. W. Johnson and her assistant, Mrs. Fred White, who devote their efforts in the hospital field. Courtesy chairman whose work will correlate with their activities is Mrs. Hector Herrera.

Wins First In ECC Hair Style Contest

An adapted crown cut won Miss June Black of Torrance a first-place trophy in an original hair-styling contest among El Camino College cosmetology students, instructors Beulah Grace and Marguerite Robinson announced this week.

Miss Black won first place in the junior division, while top honors in the senior division were captured by Beulah Utter of Hawthorne, who designed a personality cut.

Clubs Slate Dinner-Dance, Installation

Blue and Gold will be employed in table decor next Saturday night, June 12, when JayCees, their wives, the JayCettes, gather at Alondra Park Clubhouse for a 7 o'clock dinner preceding joint installation rites.

During the ceremonies to follow, Vern Lovelady will take office as president of the JayCees while Mrs. Jack Baldwin will be seated as the leader of the JayCettes, Dale Isenberg, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, will be the installing officer.

Installation of three new Ex-hausted Roosters, to be conducted by Lyle Moore, past grand champion, also will highlight the evening program. Acting as master of ceremonies will be Jack Baldwin.

Dancing to the music of Les Fronzier and his orchestra will climax the festivities, which are being planned by Jack Phillips of the JayCees and Mrs. Fred Hansen of the JayCettes.

REVEAL WEDDING DATE Miss Luster, L. R. Chambers To Recite Vows June 20

Two local young people whose betrothal was revealed at Christmas in 1951, Miss Beverly Luster and Robert LeRoy Chambers, will become Mr. and Mrs. on Saturday, June 20, at 4 p.m. ceremonies at the Palos Verdes Neighborhood Church.

The bride-elect, daughter of the Don Lusters, 1515 Crenshaw Blvd., received her B.A. degree in music, with emphasis on piano education, from Pepperdine College last Sunday afternoon. During her last term there she served as vice-president of the Phi Phi Epsilon, national music society, and corresponding secretary of Phi Sigma Tau, social society.

Chambers, who is now stationed with the U. S. Navy at San Diego, is a graduate of El Camino College and also attended the University of California at Los Angeles before entering the service. He is the son of Mrs. C. L. Chambers, 735 Sartori Ave.

The young couple are both graduates of Torrance High School, class of 1949. Miss Luster is a past honored queen of Job's Daughters, Bethel 50, and grand bethel treasurer, Order of the Eastern Star, State of California. Chambers was very active in the DeMolay organization.

With the wedding only a little over a week away, friends of the popular bride-to-be have honored her with several miscellaneous showers.

Most recent affair was held last Saturday at the 1643 Acacia Ave. home of Mrs. Richard Floyd, with Mrs. Charles Crouch of Long Beach sharing hostess honors. The two women, who both will serve as bridesmaids at the Saturday rites, carried out the shower theme with a large umbrella to center the gift table, varnished pantries to highlight the refreshment table, and miniature umbrellas to mark each place setting.

Those attending were Mesdames Robert Bowers, Wayne Martin, Jim Mackey, Don Luster, mother of the honoree; Roy Chambers, mother of the bride-elect; Misses Pat Jessome, Pat Clerks, and Jane Moffatt.

Previously, Miss Luster's matron of honor-elect, Mrs. Terry Zahn of Manhattan Beach entertained for her, with Mrs. Ben Townsend of Hermosa Beach sharing hostess honors. A pink and white decorated cake inscribed with the names of the affianced couple highlighted table decor.

Miss Luster's Phi Sigma Tau sorority sisters also honored her with a shower prior to her graduation from the college.

'Stork Story' FROM TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Announcing the arrival of their second child, 7 lb. 2 oz. Kenneth Jr., are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schultz, 20420 Oak Ave.

The new arrival, born June 5 at 8:41 a.m., joins one sister, two-year-old Gale. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrington Sr., 2414 Torrance Blvd.; and Mrs. John Perkins, of Pittsburg, Kans.

A second child also was born last week to Harvey Machine Co. clerk Mac D. Dawson and his wife, 807 Cota Ave. Named Debra Lynn, the 8 lb. 4 oz. daughter arrived at 2:30 o'clock June 3. She joins a brother, five-year-old Gary M., and her grandmother are Mesdames May Hardy and Olive Dawson of Eureka Springs, Ark.

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W. 222nd St. home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Combs is a 7 1/2 lb. son, Kenneth Earl, who was born June 4 at 11:39 p.m. Other children in the family are Frederick, 6, and Darlene, 3. Father is employed at a local cafe; Charles Combs of Mariposa and the Pasqual Micales of Kane, Pa., are grandfathers.

M. L. Smith, a milkman at Gold Crown Dairy, and his wife, 3231 W. 190th St., are announcing the arrival of a new son, 9 lb. 5 1/2 oz. Manfred LeRoy. Born at 8:05 p.m. June 7, the baby boy joins two sisters, Barbara Katherine, 4, and Caroline Sarah, 2. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Schreiner of Detroit, Mich., are grandfathers.

The Rev. Paul Wenske, pastor of the First Lutheran Church, and his wife now are parents of their third child, 8 lb. 2 oz. Elizabeth. The little girl, born June 6, joins a brother, Paul Luther, 5, and a sister, Rebecca Rose, 7, at the 2550 Eldorado St. Wenske home. Grandparents are Messrs. and Mesdames William Yearke of Clay Center, Neb., and D. F. Baumgartner of Toledo, Ohio.

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186th St. PTA Installs Today

Mrs. James McMillen, who has served as press chairman for the past year, will take office as president of 186th St. PTA for 1953-54 today, when the association meets at the school.

Also to be installed are Mesdames A. B. Pond, vice-president; Floyd White, secretary; W. C. Attebery, treasurer; Ben Cothran, auditor; David Wood, historian; Claud Hill, parliamentarian; and Miss Hilda Jellison, second vice-president.

LUAU FETES PTA BOARD

The President Ave. home of Mrs. Ray Groover, Harbor City PTA president, took on an island air Friday afternoon when she entertained her executive board with a Hawaiian Luau.

While recorded Aloha music played in the background, guests took off their shoes, sat on the floor, and ate luncheon from a "tablecloth" of leaves. Miniature hula girls, palm trees, and a grass shack were employed in "table" decor.

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