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DESERT WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Voorhees and their daughters, Alise and Ann Belinda, 5310 Paseo de Pablo, are spending the week end at Desert Hot Springs. They leave Friday and will return Monday morning. They will attend the Date Festival and County Fair in Indio on Saturday and plan to stop over at Idyllwild on their way home.



MUSIC THAT INVITES YOU TO DANCE . . . played by the Leighton Noble orchestra is the incentive for local dancers to make preparations for a gala evening on March 2 at the Civic Auditorium. Pictured here are Mr. and Mrs. James Fornelli, at the left, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Janasick as they prepare to attend the event, proceeds from which will go to the fund

for the children's wing of the Little Company of Mary Hospital to be built soon. Mrs. George Witz is chairman of the dance. Tickets are being handled by Mrs. Jack Dabbs, and Mrs. Richard Olson is in charge of refreshments. Publicity chairman is Mrs. Murray Rudnick. Tickets are on sale now and may be purchased at the door on the night of the dance.

Lovely Party For Visitor

Complimenting Miss Frieda Hudson of Kansas City, who was visiting here with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Boswell, a lovely Valentine bridge luncheon was given last Thursday by Mrs. M. A. Bauman at her home, 1504 Post Ave.

Red velvet Valentine hearts and a manzanita tree ornamented with red candy hearts decorated the luncheon table. Red candles and Valentine nut cups further carried out the Valentine motif and on the coffee table was an arrangement of red carnations interspersed with white lace hearts.

After the luncheon, bridge was played with the first prize going to Mrs. Dean Sears and second to Mrs. E. L. Payne.

Mrs. Bauman's guests were the honoree, Miss Hudson, and Meses, W. C. Boswell, B. T. Whitney, Dean Sears, Lee A. McCoy, Dean Capps, Albert Posner, Paul Loranger, Delbert Thomsen, Paul Wierk, and E. Payne.

Dinner-Dance

Several Lions Club members and their wives attended the Lions' Club district dinner dance Saturday evening at the Fox Hills Country Club.

Prior to the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Robinson, presidents of the Lions and Lioness clubs, entertained guests at cocktails at their home, 111 Via Sego.

Among those attending the party were Messrs. and Meses, Mott Farrell, A. F. R. Ewalt, Ruel Moulton, Pete Radisich, Fred Boren, Paul Diamond and Dr. and Mrs. Warren Hamilton.



BEGINNING ANOTHER YEAR . . . of friendships and hobbies for one of Torrance's oldest clubs, the Arts and Crafts, new officers were installed last Friday evening at a Valentine dinner meeting at the Fish Shanty in Lomita. Pictured here are, left, Mrs. David H. Jones, outgoing president; Mrs. Frederick Cook, new president; Mrs. Arch Peverley, treasurer; Mrs. Fred Bever, vice president; and Mrs. Andrew Arterburn, secretary. The membership of this club, which was organized in 1938, boasts many long time residents of Torrance.

Arts and Crafts Club Install New Officers

Large white hearts outlined with red roses and flanked by white candles trimmed with small red hearts formed the centerpieces on the tables at the Fish Shanty last Friday evening when new officers of the Arts and Crafts Club were installed. Individual red nut cups with white hearts marked the places and as each member arrived she was presented with a red rose corsage. Ethyl Peverley and Ruth Hardin were in charge of decorations.

After a delicious dinner, Mrs. Mae Jones, the retiring president, conducted the installation ceremony. The officers for the year 1957 will be Meses, Vivian Cook, president; Rolva Bever, vice president; Leah Arterburn, secretary; and Ethyl Peverley, treasurer. After the installation, a short talk was made by the newly installed president, Vivian Cook, and the following members were appointed to committees: Leila Everly, welfare; Frances Snodgrass, sunshine; Hazel Ward, publicity; and Helen Carpenter, gifts.

Secret Pal gifts were exchanged and all participated in playing games and singing until a late hour. Those enjoying the evening were: Leah Arterburn, Maybel Banks, Rolva Bever, Cora Bohrer, Helen Carpenter, Florence Childs, Vivian Cook, Leila Everly, Hazel Fossum, Ruth Hardin, Mae Jones, Ruth Kilgore, Bettina Miller, Helen Miller, Addie Parks, Ethyl Pever-

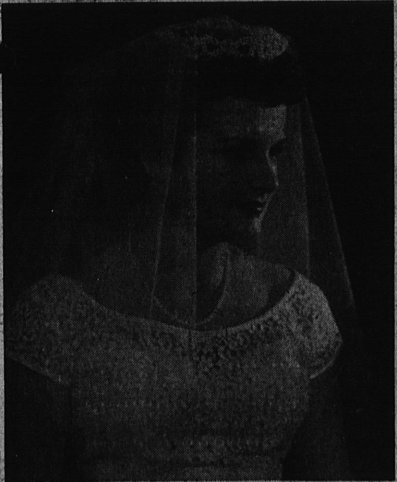
ley, Frances Snodgrass, Hazel Ward, and one guest, the daughter of Rolva Bever, Joyce Homolka. Several members were absent due to illness. Arts and Crafts Club was organized July, 1938, with 15

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LESLIE FAMILY TO VISIT HAWAII

A spring vacation in Hawaii is the exciting plan for the Leslie family. The trip will be a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leslie of Los Angeles. Their guests will be a son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leslie, Jr., 430 Calle de Arboles, and a daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hess of Los Angeles.

The group will fly by Pan American leaving here April 6. They will spend 15 days in the islands. Reservations have been made at the Royal Hawaiian, Koala Inn and the Coconut Palms Hotel. The return trip will also be by plane.



MRS. BILLY JACK MAIN
... Resides in Kansas City

Duncan-Main Nuptials Are Recited Sunday Afternoon

Before an improvised altar in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Funk, 737 Sartori, last Sunday afternoon at 1:30 p.m., Miss Wauthena Jo Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Duncan, 1906 235th St., became the bride of Billy Jack Main, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Main, of Independence, Kan.

Mr. Duncan gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a white lace gown fashioned with a long torso and full ballerina skirt ornamented with embroidered medallions. A pearl tiara held her illusion veil and she carried a Bible topped with a white orchid with streamers of staphanotis.

Her only attendant was Miss Jo Quijada, who wore a pink crystalline gown trimmed with rhinestones. The maid of honor's bouquet was of pink carnations.

Dale Duncan, brother of the bride, served as best man and Miss Carolyn Duncan, her sister, was in charge of the guest book.

The Rev. Miles C. Northrup, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated at the marriage.

A wedding reception was held at the Woman's Clubhouse where the bride's table was centered with a beautiful wedding cake.

Immediately following the wedding, the couple left for Kansas City, which will be their new home.

The bride was in her junior year at the Torrance High School. She has also been a Candystriper at the Harbor General Hospital and holds membership in the WCA teen-age group and the Royal Neighbor lodge.

Mr. Main was graduated from the Independence, Kan., High School and served three years with the United States Marine Corps. He is now employed at the Union Terminal in Kansas City.

L. Hennens On Cruise of Caribbean

Headed for a fabulous three-week Caribbean cruise are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hennens, 220 Palos Verdes Blvd. They left Tuesday evening by TWA for New York City, and after a couple days' visit boarded the SS Ile de France.

The early part of their tour takes them through calypso country and the land of the voodoo drums. Stops include St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands, Martinique, Barbados, and Trinidad.

At its southern-most point, the ship will stop for a tour of Caracas, Venezuela, then on to Curacao Island. A visit to the Canal Zone in Panama is also scheduled, with a last stop in the romantic city of Havana. The Ile de France will arrive in New York on March 13. The Hennens will arrive at Los Angeles March 14 by TWA.

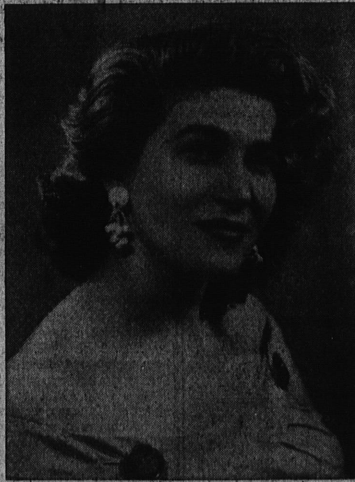
Before leaving, the travelers were feted at several bon voyage parties. Mrs. E. E. Wissman, 2317 Via Rivera, Palos Verdes, gave a surprise luncheon recently, at which time Mrs. Hennens was presented with a fitted traveling case. Guests at the luncheon were Meses, Spencer Conway, Max Webber, Dan Darnell, H. Wilkerson, Robert Pinkney, Charles Gift, Robert Matson, Robert Ellis, Harry Walker, and the honored guest, Unable to attend were Meses, Morrison Hornbeck and Alice Corcoran.

On Saturday, Feb. 16, the Hennens were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Forester in Los Angeles at a dinner party given in their honor. The table decorations consisted of a white ship afloat on the blue sea. The decorations were made by the prop department of MGM with whom Mr. Forester is associated.

Mr. and Mrs. Hennens hosted a number of friends at a cocktail party before flight time Tuesday evening at Mike Lyman's Flight Deck restaurant. Guests came from Hollywood Riviera, Palos Verdes, Los Angeles, and Pasadena.

VISIT REHWOLDS

Dr. and Mrs. Warren Hamilton spent a recent week end in Barstow where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Rehbold, who recently moved from Torrance.



MRS. ROBERT ALLEN HARTEL
... Weds Local Man

Robt. A. Hartel and Turkish Bride to Visit Here in July

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen Hartel of Ankara, Turkey, are expected to arrive in Torrance in July. The couple was married in Ankara on Sept. 7 in a formal wedding. The bride is the former Serife Adile Yesilirmak of Istanbul. Her father is a doctor in Istanbul. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Hartel, 1513 W. 215th St., and a brother of Don Hartel of the Torrance Police Dept.

He was graduated from Torrance High School in 1953 and worked at Douglas before entering the United States Air Force in 1954. In July, he will have been in Turkey for two years.

The couple spent their honeymoon at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Istanbul.

During their 30-day leave to be spent here, the bridegroom's parents are planning an open house to present their new daughter-in-law. The last six months of his tour of duty will be spent, according to present plans, at a California air base.

AT WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wolf returned the first of the week from Reno, Nev., where they attended the wedding of their nephew, Don Bergeret, last week end. The couple made the trip by plane.

Bridge Club

A Valentine motif was used in her decorations and dessert course last Wednesday evening when Mrs. John H. Hull entertained her bridge club.

Club members present were Meses, Allen Hofferber, Marvin Brain, Earl Eckert, Robert Evans, and Kenneth Boulter. Guests were Mrs. John Steinbaugh and Mrs. Howard Altermatt.

Mrs. C. Albert Smith will entertain the club on Feb. 20.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham and their daughter, Jorie, 1923 Reynosa, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hanna in Gardena for a Spanish dinner last Saturday.

The Hannas' daughter, Karen, returned to spend the week end with the Cunningham family.

Garden Unit Silver Tea On Feb. 27

A silver tea will be given by the Garden Section of the Torrance Woman's Club on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia.

The tea is the initial effort of the new section to further the work of the state conservation program of reforestation, which is stressing "Pennies for Pines Plantation" this year.

Members and guests of the Garden Section will enjoy a demonstration of creative flower arrangements by Mrs. Charlotte Maben of Redondo Beach, who will be presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Ed Karlow.

Mrs. Maben is well known throughout the area for her artistic ability and will offer a wealth of suggestions for spring decorating.



MISS LINDA LAWTEN
... Troth Revealed

Linda Lawten Will Marry William Pierce in August

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Lawten, of Gardena, are today formally announcing the engagement of their daughter, Linda, to William Pierce.

Miss Lawten, a third generation Californian, was graduated from North High School and is now attending El Camino College.

The future bridegroom, son of Mrs. Joseph Stephens, was graduated from Gardena High School. He is now a student at El Camino.

The couple plans to establish a Torrance home following their August marriage.