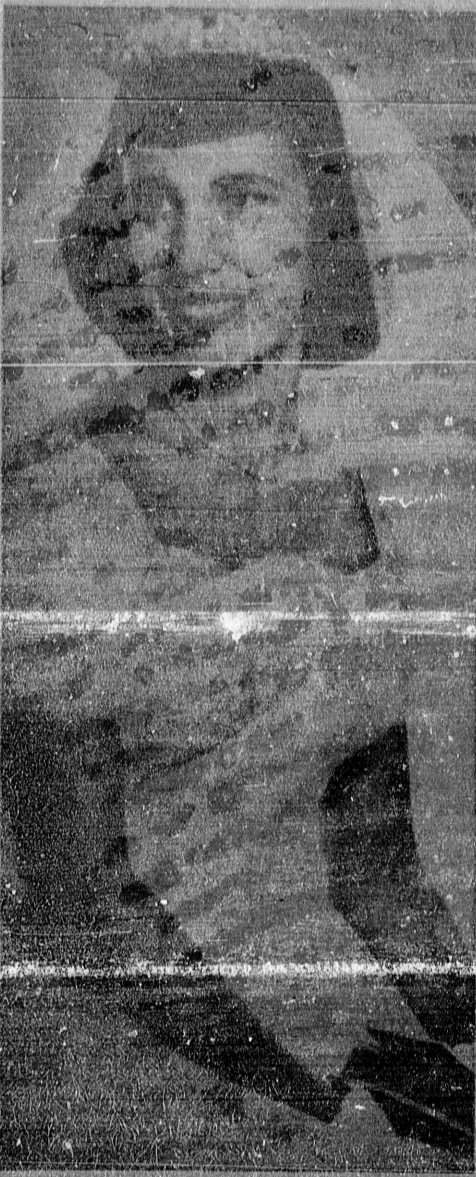


Sharon Lee Felker Weds



Of interest throughout the southland, due to the prominence of both families, was the beautiful wedding ceremony and nuptial mass last Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at St. Lawrence parish Catholic Church uniting in marriage Miss Sharon Lee Felker, daughter of Mrs. Laura B. Felker, 3429 Paseo del Campo, Torrance, and Charles Herbert Hayden, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hayden of Desert Hot Springs.

Wearing a Cabell original of Italian ivory silk satin and Alencon lace, the bride approached the altar on the arm of her grandfather, W. A. Felker, longtime resident of Torrance. The beautiful gown had a portrait neckline and an empire bodice. Details were a front skirt panel and scarf of matching Alencon lace. The full skirt fell into a chapel train. A matching lace crown trimmed with seed pearls and sequins secured the veil of bridal illusion. Completing the bridal picture was a shower of white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Andrea Felker served as her sister's maid of honor. She wore a silk organza sheath and carried a bouquet of garden roses.

Bridesmaids were Misses Mary Curmane, Mary Schott, Julie Rhone, and Mrs. Robert Savage, sister of the bridegroom. They wore bouffant gowns of pink silk organza and carried bouquets of garden roses.

Bill Schappner was best man and the 300 guests were seated by Bruce Pratte, John ... and Ben Sander.

The Rev. Charles Ara, pastor, officiated at the marriage service and celebrated the nuptial mass.

Mrs. Stanley Fleener, at the organ, played the wedding marches and accompanied Roy Kulgrew who sang "Ave Marie," "Pais Angelicus" and "The Marriage Feast of Cana."

A buffet luncheon was served at the Palos Verdes Country club where guests were registered by Misses Rose Herman and Katie McCoy, sorority sisters of the bride.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Hayden are on a honeymoon in Carmel.

Mrs. Hayden was graduated from St. Mary's college where she was a member of Tau Alpha Zeta sorority.

Mr. Hayden is a graduate of Loyola University and is a member of Phi Zeta fraternity.

(Bob Roberts Photo) ... On Wedding Day

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Delta Gamma Seats Officers

Delta Gamma chapter of Esplanade High School held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Olive Colter. A barbecue and swimming party preceded the business session with Toni Colter serving as chef.

Installation of new officers highlighted the meeting. They are Mary Mosher, president; Helen Osterlund, vice president; Marguerite Kelsey, recording secretary; Mabel Crossman, corresponding secretary; Virginia Clark, treasurer; Lorene Stone, historian; Adelaide ... for Althea Clifford, sergeant-at-arms, and Helen Bullock, longuil girl.

After the installation each member presented her "secret pal" with a revealing gift. Mabel Crossman, retiring president, was presented gifts from her sorority sisters.

The group planned a dinner at the Polynesian to give their husbands "recognition" pins.

To Vacation in Venezuela

Miss Joan Donald, daughter of Mrs. William Bolotin, 1028 Crenshaw, left by plane on Monday, June 16, for Caracas, Venezuela, South America to spend the summer with her father, James Donald, who is employed by the Creole Oil Co. there.

Miss Donald, a senior at Torrance High School, was complimented at a bon voyage party given at the home of Sandy Cargoe. A swimming party and barbecue was held and the guests presented the honoree with a gift.

Attending the party were Miss Margaret Blount, Peggy Neely, Barbara Hiebert, Sally Mason, Sharon Giles, Carolyn Campbell.

To Oklahoma

Mr. W. M. Lee and son, William, 3143 W. 179th St. will leave the first of the month for Tulsa, Okla., where they will spend three weeks visiting relatives.

Barbara Curren Becomes Bride of Donald Crouch

Harbor City Four-square Church was the setting last Saturday evening at 8 for the wedding of Miss Barbara Neoma Curren of Lomita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ramsall of Compton and Donald Franklin Crouch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crouch of Pierceton, Ind.

Mr. Ramsall walked to the altar with the bride. She wore a gown of hand-clipped Chantilly lace fashioned with a chapel train. She carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Lois Fries was the maid of honor wearing ice blue tulle and carrying blue carnations. Bridesmaids were Misses Bonnie Holloway, Marjorie Luce, and Kathy Miller. They wore ice blue gowns and carried bouquets of blue carnations. Babe Harrison, also in a blue gown, was the flower girl.

William Ellis stood as best man and James Curren, George Curren, Jon Laffon and Ronald Kohler.

Rev. Marion Piles officiated at the wedding and the music was played by Eugene Coon, organist, who also accompanied Norma Garrett, soloist.

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School and Harbor Junior college. Mr. Crouch was graduated from Purdue University.

The newlyweds are spending a week at the Grand Canyon and their new address will be 40554 Catalina Way, Hawthorne, Cal.

To Entertain

Judge and Mrs. O. W. Whitt will entertain their coffee group, Saturday evening at their home, 221 W. 101st St. Their guests will be Mrs. and Miss William Maynard, Lee Kendall, B. W. Roberts, Gil Derocin and Mrs. Laura Felker.



MRS. DAVID PEDACE ... On Honeymoon

Darlene Derouin Recites Vows With David Pedace

Miss Darlene Yvonne Derouin was a lovely bride as she walked down the aisle of St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Church in Lomita last Saturday for her marriage to David Pedace. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Derouin, 1648 W. 254th St. Harbor City, and the parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. David Pedace, of Compton.

The classic beauty of the bride was enhanced by her wedding gown of chiffon tulle. The gown had a princess bodice with re-embroidered lace cap and delicate etching of pearls outlining the pattern of lace.

Other details were a bateau neckline and short sleeves. The graceful skirt had a bustle at the back trimmed with self tulle and roses. Her illusion veil fell from a Queen Ann crown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis On Northern Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vern Davis are honeymooning in San Francisco and northern California. They were married last Saturday evening at the Wayfare's Chapel at 7:30 o'clock with the Rev. Kenneth William Knox officiating.

Miss Davis is the former Sandra Lee Rathbun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tad N. Rathbun, 2517 Monterey St. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis, 13337 Robin Ave. are parents of the bridegroom.

As the 110 wedding guests assembled at the chapel a prelude of nuptial music was furnished on the organ. As the wedding march was played the bride and groom entered the church. They were Miss Sally Rathbun, serving as her sister's maid of honor. She wore a pink, crystalline butterfly length dress with a matching rose hat. Her bouquet was of matching carnations.

Bridesmaids were Miss Peggy Neely and Miss Emily Greer. Their gowns were of a pastel pink crystalline and they wore matching picture hats. Pastel pink carnations formed their bouquets.

Little Miss Diana Sue Nibben, carrying a basket of rose petals, was the flower girl and the rings were carried by Jackie Brett.

Then came the bride on the arm of her father. She wore a floor length gown of Italian silk. A large bustle bow in the back secured the chapel length train. Her bridal illusion veil fell from a tiara and she carried white orchids and stephanotis with a white Bible.

A reception was held in the reception room at Marlborough where guests were registered by Miss Elaine Beuch of Long Beach.



(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. WILLIAM KESSELMAN ... Makes Promises

Sally Speck Now Mrs. Kesselman

In a late afternoon ceremony, before a flower banker since in the First Methodist Church, last Saturday evening, Miss Sally Speck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Speck, 3511 Acacia Ave., exchanged her wedding promises with William Edward Kesselman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Kesselman, 12143 N. Huston St., North Hollywood.

Mrs. John Taylor, organist, played a prelude of nuptial music as the guests assembled. Miss Regina Smith sang "O Perfect Love" and the wedding Benediction. Candles were lighted by Linda Kesselman and Kathleen Taylor.

At the first chords of the wedding march, the guests stood to await the entrance of the bride. She approached the altar on the arm of her father.

Her wedding gown was of white bridal satin covered with brocade lace. It had a sweetheart neckline, cap sleeves and a bouffant skirt. A pearl tiara held the illusion veil and the bride carried a small white Bible with a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Donald Simpson served as the honor attendant wearing a yellow brocade gown and carrying a cascade of yellow blossoms.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jack D. Dean, in lavender brocade tulle; Mrs. Donald Hein, in aqua brocade, and Miss Claudia King, in pink brocade.

The Rev. Alan Taylor, pastor, conducted the marriage ceremony. The 200 wedding guests were entertained at a reception at the church and the newlyweds left for a honeymoon at Santa Barbara.

Sandra Constance Becomes Bride of D. G. Stangeland

Miss Sandra Constance, "Miss California of 1955" and "Miss Torrance of 1953" was a beautiful bride as she walked down the aisle of the Inglewood Presbyterian Church last Saturday to plight her vows with Dennis Stangeland. The bride is the daughter of Mr. LeRoy Constance, 17212 Glenhurst Ave. and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stangeland, 3995 W. 173rd St. are the parents of the bridegroom.

The wedding gown was an Empire styled gown of ivory tulle. The bodice and three-quarter sleeves were of Alencon lace. The scoop neckline was of embroidered sequins and pearl. A chapel train fell from the back of the gown and a lace pill box secured the illusion veil. She carried a lace covered Bible and white orchids.

Mrs. Dorothy Caspo was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs. Barbara Stangeland and Mrs. Betty Stangeland and Miss Frances Fritts. Mrs. Caspo wore yellow chiffon and the bridesmaids were in coral chiffon.

Robert Stangeland stood as best man and ushers were David Constance, Ralph Stangeland and Ben Beattie.

The Rev. John Stewart conducted the marriage ceremony. A reception was held at the church and the newlyweds left for their honeymoon.

After a two week honeymoon in San Francisco the newlyweds will be at home at Inglewood.

The bride attended Torrance High School and she earned drama credits there in Hollywood. She has been employed at Hughes Productions in Hollywood.

(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. CARL DAVIS ... Flower Vows

(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. D. STANGELAND ... In San Francisco

Powers-Buzan Nuptials Read at Nativity June 21

Nativity Catholic Church was the setting last Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the marriage ceremony in which Miss Diane Lee Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Powers, 819 Cota Ave., plighted her vows with Robert Clinton Buzan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry M. Puzan, 1707 W. 248th St. Lomita.

Mr. Powers walked with his daughter to the altar. She wore a gown of white lace designed with a layer of permanent pleated nylon around the bodice. The flowing skirt fell into a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of illusion cascaded from a heart crown and she carried a bouquet of three white gardenias surrounded with pink roses and two white white satin streamers of stephanotis.

Miss Anna Fox was the maid of honor. She wore a gown of pale blue chiffon and carried blue hydrangeas and pink roses.

Miss Patricia Studebaker is ...

(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. ROBERT BUZAN ... Plights Vows



(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. DONALD CROUCH ... June Bride



(Portrait by Secretary) MRS. CARL DAVIS ... Flower Vows



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