

# Social World

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## Entertain At Cocktails

Among those entertaining at cocktails prior to the Valentine Ball Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. William Boswell, 2942 Onrado. Enjoying the Boswell hospitality were Messrs. and Mmes. Kendall Wilson, Robert Bontecou, Frank Cooper, Leonard Ensminger, George Jungkind, and Louis Dyer. Others entertaining at a "happy hour" prior to leaving for the Lafayette Hotel in Long Beach, scene of the gala social event, were Mr. and Mrs. John Tweedy, 1325 Arlington Ave. Their guest list included Messrs. and Mmes. Don Butcher, Chris Sorenson, William Shawyer, William Moss, Don Hyde, Tip Lactey, and Gil Derouin.

## Bridge Party

Bridge Club of the Alpha Xi Delta Alumnae was entertained Wednesday evening by Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham and Mrs. Thomas Black at the Cunningham home, 1923 Remosa Drive. The hostesses served a dessert followed by the bridge games. High score for the evening was held by Mrs. Paul Manahan. Playing bridge were Mmes. Lyle O'Hara, Paul Manahan, Shirley Sylvester, Phillip Sayre, Nell Everly, and the hostesses.

## Honor Uncle on 75th Birthday

Mrs. Sarah Hooker and Mrs. W. A. Wright, both of Torrance, were co-hostesses at a celebration last Saturday honoring their uncle, I. T. Callahan, at his San Marino home on his 75th birthday. Friends and relatives piled throughout the day to congratulate the honor guest.



MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON . . . Riviera Community Hospital auxiliary invites all prospective members to join them for a luncheon and tour of the hospital on Wednesday Feb. 21 at 1:15 p.m. Admittance of prospective members to the free luncheon will be by reservations only. Checking out their guest list are from left, Mrs. John Steward, telephone chairman and Mrs. William A. Bailey, president. Reservations are being taken by Mrs. Steward in Torrance and Mrs. R. Martin in Manhattan Beach.

## Club Hostess Lady Lions Plan Party

Mrs. Clark Caldwell entertained her club at a dessert-bridge last Wednesday evening at her home, 1204 Fonthill Ave. A Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and the dessert. At the final count in the games, high score was held by Mrs. Allen Hofferber and second by Mrs. William Crockett. Mrs. Caldwell's guests were Mmes. Kenneth Boulter, J. H. Hull, Dorene Weir, William Crockett, Howard Heising, William Raines, and Hofferber. Mrs. Crockett will entertain the club at its next meeting.

## Lady Lions Plan Party

Torrance Lioness Club held its regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. Clarence Clark, 1432 W. 172nd St., on Feb. 6 with Mrs. A. F. R. Ewalt in charge. During the evening, Mrs. Clark, program chairman, appointed a committee for a card party to be given on March 17. Mrs. Bill King will serve as chairman and will be assisted by Mmes. Albert Isen, Milton Isbell, and Ed Gregory. Mrs. Victor Feldman of Minnesota was a guest at the meeting. The door prize was won by Mrs. John D. Pellerin.

## Local Gamma Etas Will Attend Regional Confab

Mrs. Eloise Shields, president of the Gamma Eta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma society is working with Mrs. Harlan H. Hayes, regional director, in preparation for the annual Regional Conference to be held Saturday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. at the Virginia Country Club, 4602 Virginia Rd., Long Beach. Mrs. Hayes is conference director of Region 10, which includes 13 southland chapters. She has served as president of Gamma Gamma and is a charter member. Dr. Persis Cowan, past Chi State president and a professor at Los Angeles State College, will be the speaker. Dr. Cowan will emphasize the conference theme, "Developing Human Resources." Special music will feature

Watheva Sims Jones, soloist, accompanied by Neary Lehigh. Delta Kappa Gamma is an honorary organization for outstanding women educators. Among many activities, the society provides scholarships on both national and international levels. Among the Gamma Eta chapter members attending will be Mrs. Shields, president; Mmes. Helen James, Lavona Dunworth, Anna House, Lynn Shidler, Edna Johnson, and Miss Edith Waschell.

## Stamp Club To Elect Officers

Torrance Stamp Club will meet in the Scott Park Community Bldg., 23410 Catskill Ave., Wilmington, Monday evening, Feb. 12, at 7:30 p.m. Officers of the club for the coming year will be nominated and elected at this meeting. Following the election, there will be a general discussion and swapping of stamps. All harbor area stamp collectors are invited to attend and join in the club activities.

## Alums To Meet

Alpha Xi Delta Alumnae will meet next Thursday evening at the Curt Wagner studio. This will also be a guest night for the alums who will hear an interesting talk on interior decorating. Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham will serve as hostess.



CAROL WHITTINGTON . . . Plans Wedding (Crotty Photography)

## Whittington-Seeberg Wedding Set March 25

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whittington, 1811 Torrance Blvd., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Elizabeth, to Buddy Eugene Seeberg, son of Mrs. J. V. Pryor of Inglewood and Mr. E. W. Seeberg of North Sacramento.

The future bride received her education at Torrance High School and El Camino College and is employed by the Bank of America in Torrance. Miss Whittington has taken a prominent part in the young people's organization of the Methodist Church, and is a member of the women's singing group known as Sweet Adelines, Inc.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Los Angeles Technical Junior College, is employed in the engineering department of Bethlehem Steel. He previously served four years in the United States Navy. Mr. Seeberg also is active in a men's singing group, the SPEBSQSA (Barbershoppers).

The ceremony is planned for Sunday, March 25, 1962, at 3 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

## Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham entertained a group of guests at their Hollywood Riviera home last Saturday evening. Enjoying the party were Messrs. and Mmes. Joe Lucas, Al Paisano, Al Cowan; Tommy Lucas and Richard Kingsley.

## AAUW Arts Section To Present Dr. Jan Popper

Music lovers of the Peninsula and South Bay are invited to hear Dr. Jan Popper at the general meeting of the Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills branch of the American As-

sociation of University Women on Feb. 15 in the auditorium at the Malaga Cove School. Dr. Popper, who will be presented by the Creative Arts section, will speak on "Music, the International Language."

Dr. Popper came to this country from Czechoslovakia where he had been a concert pianist. He established an opera workshop at Stanford University while there from 1939 to 1949. In 1949, he transferred to UCLA. He has become known for his TV series "Spotlight on Opera." In 1959, as guest professor at UC at Berkeley he established an opera school there and appeared as guest conductor with the San Francisco Symphony directing 15 youth concerts.

Requested by the Tokyo University of Arts, Dr. Popper received a government Fulbright award in 1960. In Tokyo he established an opera school and was guest conductor with leading Japanese orchestras.

Mrs. Joseph Jay, hospitality chairman, assisted by members of the Arts Section, will hostess a coffee hour at 7:30 preceding the 8 p.m. program. Reservations are being taken by Mmes. Harry G. Peterson, Don C. Root, and Frances Scott.

## Houseguest

Mrs. John L. Dowling of Burbank is spending a week here with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle O'Hara who live on Fern Ave.



VALENTINE PARTY . . . Volunteers for Children at Harbor General Hospital gave their annual Valentine party Thursday for 28 children in the children's ward. Mrs. A. B. Cowie, party chairman, left, serves Ruby Medina, 6, while Donald Miller, 9, puts a valentine in a box held by Mrs. James Gibson (Herald Photo)



BIRTHDAY VALENTINES . . . The fact that their second birthday and Valentine's Day both fall on Wednesday doesn't seem to impress Patricia Morelli, right, as she

seeks comfort from Pamela. The twins are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Morelli of 21417 Grant Ave. (Herald Photo)

**YOUR PROBLEMS**  
by Ann Landers

### "Let Sam Lead. He'll Feel Better"

Dear Ann Landers: When I dance with my boy friend he always says "Please let me lead." The truth is we dance together much better when I lead. Sam has no sense of rhythm. He bounces around like an elephant with a hot-foot. When I lead I make him look as if he knows what he's doing.

Do you think it's important that I let Sam lead—FAY  
Dear Fay: Let Sam lead. He may not look as good but he'll feel better.

Dear Ann Landers: I have a friend who can't stand to see anyone have anything nicer than what she has. The minute she spots something on someone else's back or in their home she has to run right down and get exactly the same thing or as close to it as possible.

Last week I bought a new davenport. When she saw it she asked if I'd mind if she got one like it. I was boiling inside but I said, "Go ahead. It's a free country."

Her davenport is less than two years old, but the next day she had one exactly like mine. Her winter coat is like mine, too. (We look like the Bobsey twins.) She has dining room draperies like mine and the same carpeting.

I am sick to death of her copying me. How can I put an end to it? Please let me know right away as I'm planning to buy new lamps soon. —VIVIAN

Dear Vivian: Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery — but if you don't want to be flattered why boll inside and pretend you don't care? Make your position known. If she insists on copying you after that there's nothing you can do. But at least you will have cleared the air and reduced your chances for ulcers.

Dear Ann Landers: Our 18-year-old son's girl friend and her parents came over to our house last night. She is pregnant (four months) and must drop out of school soon. The poor kid is just 16. Paul made it a point not to be here when they arrived. He came in an hour later so they'd have plenty of time to tell the story. Then he sat there looking out the window as if they were talking about somebody else.

The kids want to get married and keep the baby. I'm against it. The girl is really (Continued on Page 10)

## To Initiate CDA Group

Plans to initiate two new members of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, Torrance, were discussed at the monthly business meeting held recently.

Mrs. Joseph Cemore, grand regent, will accompany Mmes. Thomas J. Gilloghy and Rudolph Peters to Court Our Lady of Providence, Hawthorne, on Feb. 14, at which time they will be received into the organization.

Presiding as district deputy that evening will be Mrs. Richard Ban, a past grand regent of Court St. Catherine. Mrs. Ban is a district deputy to several southland courts. She presided at the initiation ceremonies of Court Compton, recently, at which time Mrs. Anthony Grasso was received into Catholic Daughters and is now a member of Court St. Catherine.

On Feb. 4, Mrs. Ban also attended the annual Mass of Court Madonna, Lynwood, at St. Emedius Church, followed by breakfast at the Tahitian Village in Downey.

## Bake Sale On Valentine Day

Riviera Hospital Auxiliary will stage a bake sale in the hospital lobby on Wednesday, Feb. 14. The sale opens at 9 a.m. Mrs. J. Ralph Black of Torrance and Mrs. S. E. Warden of Redondo are in charge.

Proceeds will be used to buy equipment for the hospital.



SWEETHEARTS BALL . . . Women's Division of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors will stage their first annual "Sweethearts Ball" Wednesday evening at their office, 22833 S. Arlington Ave., Torrance. A cocktail hour from 7 to 8 p.m., will be followed by dancing to Mel Coates orchestra. Here, Mayor Albert Isen purchases a ticket from Rose Craig, ticket chairman and Anita Barfield, president. On the dance committee are Beulah Schmidt, Dorothy Carson, Mary Feder, Jeanne Brewster, Marie Whitacre and Gladys Lee.