

FASHIONABLE PREVIEW ... South Bay residents will don spring's newest formal attire for Saturday night's sparkling "Counsellors Cotillion" at the Palos Verdes Country Club. The Legal Aid Foundation benefit, for the fourth year, takes the spotlight in social activities of the season. Posed in costumes they will be wearing are, from left, Mmes. David Lyman, James E. Hall and Robert Goetz.

Your PROBLEMS Ann Landers

Peace and Quiet, Vastly Overrated

Dear Ann Landers: I was interested in your advice to the teenager who insisted he could study only when the radio, hi-fi or TV was going full blast. His mother didn't believe him. You suggested he re-train himself to study in pages and quiet in peace and quiet.

As a psychologist who has spent his lifetime learning and teaching industry how to get maximum efficiency out of employees I'd like to point out that peace and quiet have been vastly overrated.

Music is a natural tran-quilizer. Our studies show that factories and offices which have installed piped-in music are delighted with the increased efficiency and the improved dispositions of the employees. As an authority on the subject I can tell you that this is not just an intelthat this is not just an intellectual theory. It actually works.—M.C.

Dear M.C.: Thank you for writing. The following letter is from one of those happy, efficient employees who has been listening to piped-in music. So she, too, is an authority. thority.

Dear Ann Landers: Last Fall our office manager de-cided we all needed music to calm our nerves and lift

their toes. Some of the youn-ger ones danced. I didn't mind, although it was somewhat distracting. I kept telling myself I'd get used to it. I never quite made it.

Maybe I'm a sentimental bol but certain songs have special meaning for me. When I hear "Blues in The Night" or "Sunrise Seren-Night" or "Sunrise Serenade" or "Talk of The Town" I become completely unhinged.

Two months of night and day music set my teeth on edge. I found myself going to the washroom to escape it. Then-lo' and behold fine day when I opened the door to the washroom I was greeted by "You Are My Sunshine." The music man had invaded the most private of all sanctums.

Maybe I'M some kind of a (Continued on Page 18)

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To Be Installed June 18

Twin Mothers Club Elects New Officers

Mrs. Glenn V. Smith, 21706 Vicky Ave., has been elected president of the South Bay Mothers of Twins Club. During the past four years, she has been active with the Mothers club, serving as picnic chairman, treasurer, designing program covers for the annual fashion show,

modeling and helping with other philanthropic projects. Currently she is the co-editor for the monthly club bulletin "Para-Phernalia".

Mrs. Smith is a native Callering a graduate of local

Mrs. Smith is a native Californian, a graduate of Inglewood High and attended EL
Camino college. She held a
secretarial position with a local company for five years.
She is the mother of identical twins, Scott and Doug
who are now five years old.
Elected to serve with Mrs.
Smith were Mmes. Richard
Cassell, first vice president;

William Seaman, second vice president; Tom Prevo, recording secretary; Ellis P. Myer; secretary; and James Cantrell, treasurer. All offi-cers are residents of Torrance.

Installation of the new board will be held June 18 at the Plush Horse restaurant with husbands as guests.

A pot luck luncheon and business meeting is scheduled for June 25 for both old and new officers.



JUDITH LEVRING

For the first week it was sort of a novelty. Everyone hummed, whistled or tapped their toes, Some of the your Graduates Are Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Arnold Levring, 16803 Wilkie Ave. announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith Kay, to Ernest Oren Thomsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Thomsen, 22705 Linda Drive,

No date has been set for the wedding. The future bride and her fiance are both graduates of North High

Miss Levring attended El Camino College and is now employed by Columbia Broadcasting System in Hol-

Mr. Thomsen attended Oregon State University and is employed by Nylock Western. trict.



Aker-Fenske Engagement Announced

VIRLEEN AKER

The engagement of Virleen Kay Aker to Lawrence Joseph Fenske, Jr. is being announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Aker, 5805 Pacific Coast Hwy. The couple plan to be mar-

ried in February 1963.
Miss Aker was graduated from Astoria High School in Astoria, Ore. in 1959. In 1961 she was graduated from Springfield, Ore. Beauty Col-

Springfield, Ore. Beauty College and is employed at the Broadway Beauty Salons.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fenske, Sr. of Wilmington, was graduated from Banning High school and attends Harbor Junior College. He is employed by the Los Angeles School Disthe Los Angeles School DisLawyers Wives' Benefit

Gala Cotillion Saturday Night

converted into a colorful outdoor cafe for South Bay society attending the fourth annual "Counsellors Cotil-lion," the "Caballeros Cantina," slated for Saturday evening. Barristers will be on hand to distribute castanets to guests as they gather at tables under the awning for a cock-

Strolling musicians will play during the cocktail hour and at 9 p.m. guests will join them for a musical trek to the dining room for the dinner

dance. Les Tronsiers will provide

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Mrs. Gerald Smith and Mrs. Boris Woolley are general chairmen of this gala event which will benefit the Legal Aid Foundation.

Decorating has been supervised by Mrs. William Keene and Mrs. John Barrett.

In the receiving line will be committee members, President of the South Bay Bar Assn. Eric Rafter and Mrs. Rafter, Messrs. and Mmes. James Hall, Robert Goetz, Orville McCarroll and Tom Roberts.

Special guests for the event

will be Judges and Mmes. John Shidler, Otto Willett, Donald Armstrong, Robert Patton and William McFaden.

A number of pre-dance parties have been scheduled prior to going to the club.

Among those entertaining are the Boris Woolleys of Palos Verdes Estates. Their

Palos Verdes Estates. Their guests will include Dr. and Mrs. Chesley Houske, Messrs. and Mmes. John Wild, Cliff Hicks, Robert Wilcox, Eric Laddey and Rodney Stetson. Invited for cocktails at the James Hall home in Hollywood Riviera are Messrs. and M mes. Fred Stromenger, Robert Curry, Lew Jenkins and Robert Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goetz

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goetz have also sent out bids to a number of guests for a pre-dance party at their home.



MRS. GLENN V. SMITH
... Mothers of Twins Prexy

Former Residents Feted At Parties During Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Norris Backlund, W. R. Patterson, of Philadelphia, Pa., formerly of Torrance, left Sunday for their home after a five day visit here. They were guests at the Jump'n Jack

Last Sunday afternoon, Dr. and Mrs. Allen Pyeatt entertained a group of the Norris friends and their children at a pot luck buffet at their home on Caballeros Rd., in Rolling Hills.

With the Pyeatts and their sons, Bob and Ralph, and the Norrises were Messrs. and Mmes. William Boswell and Mmes. William Boswell and Pam; William Christian, Jan-et and Jim; Jack Brooks, Kim and Jackie; Arthur Wood-cock, Curlis, Andy and Laur-ie; Drs. and Mmes. Burton Easley and Larry and Donna; Paul Winn and Susie; Mrs. R. D. Bolen and Mary Lee.

On Tuesday, Mrs. William Christian entertained at a bridge luncheon honoring Mrs. Norris.

Guests were Mmes. Henry

Mrs. J. G. Laird opened her home in honor of Mrs. Lee Stamps, retiring president of Torrance Woman's Club, on Thursday, May 31. The rooms ware decorated with vellow were decorated with yellow roses and gladioli. A salad and dessert luncheon was served followed by games. Each guest received a fuchsia

as a gift.

Mrs. Stamps was presented with a lovely gift from her board. Attending were Mmes. Lee Stamps, R. C. Focha, John C. Warnock Jr., C. A. Perkins, F. M. Shaw, E. G. Laughney, J. P. Bay, H. W. Irwin and Roy J. Apsey.

Paul Winn, Burton Easley, Allen Pyeatt, Jack Brooks, and Arthur Woodcock.

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Friday evening, Dr. and
Mrs. Paul Winn were hosts
at cocktails and a buffet dinner at their Palos Verdes
home honoring the visitors.
Together for the evening
were Drs. and Mmes. Burton
Easley, Allen Pyeatt; Messrs.
and Mmes. Henry Backlund,
Arthur Woodcock and William Boswell.

Members of the Triple T Dance club will make their annual trip to Apple Valley this weekend. A dinner-dance will be held Saturday eve-ning and members will play golf Saturday and Sunday.

Lorraine Carr is Now

First Baptist Church in Torrance was the setting for the four o'clock wedding last Saturday, June 2, uniting in marriage Miss Lorraine Marie Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hartley E. Carr, 1544 Marcelina Ave., and Daniel L. Christen of Rockton, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christen of Rockton, parents of the bride-

groom, came to Torrance for the wedding.

As the guests assembled, Mrs. Arno Ouwendijk, organ-ist, played a medley of nup-tial music and accompanied Mrs. James Ramsey, who sang

Steven Ryan performed the duties of best man and ush-

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MAKE PRESENTATION... Dr. Eleanor Thill, scholarship chairman of the Walteria Business Women's Club, left, presents a \$200 scholarship to Kathryn Gwen Turner, 17, student at South High as Mrs. Al Doage, club president looks on. This is the third year the Business Women have made a scholarship presentation to an outstanding girl student at South High, who is continuing her education.

Mrs. Dean Hostess To Board

Mrs. Jack Dean, retiring president of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club enter-tained her board at cocktails

tained her board at cocktails followed by a buffet dinner at her home, 22034 Ladeene Ave. last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Dean was assisted in serving by Mrs. Carl Dean. Each guest was presented with a gift by their president. The group in turn present.

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The group in turn presented Mrs. Dean with a gift of
silver in appreciation for her
work during the year.

Attending the party were
Mmes. Gerson Jacobsen, Clayton Lilley, William Faulds,
John Stokley, T. J. Burchfield, B. R. McRee, Robert
Valencia, Richard Oliver.

Others were Mmes. Ronald
Forestal, Rufus Sandstrom,
J. P. Bay, Richard Dorothy,
and Leondrus Stamps, president of the Torrance Woman's Club.

To Apple Valley

Mrs. Daniel L. Christen

tial music and accompanied Mrs. James Ramsey who sang "With This Ring" and "This Is My Beloved."

The bride approached the altar on the arm of her father. Her wedding gown was of white peau de soie with a bell skirt. The English illusion veil was secured by white satin roses sprinkled with pearls. She carried a bouquet of white water illies.

Miss Joanne Carr was her sister's maid of honor. She was gowned in turquoise taf-

was gowned in turquoise taf-feta with a bouffant nylon overskirt. Her flowers were turquoise and white glamel-

ers were Jerry Duncan and Ralph Pegors.

The Rev. Robert Dehn of-ficiated at the marriage. A reception followed in the church hall. Mrs. Eddie Loo was in charge of the guest book.

A dinner was held in the evening at the Palms Restaurant for members of the wedding party and family.

The newlyweds will spend the summer in Rockton, Ill. In the fall, the bridegroom will continue his studies at LeTourneau College in Longview, Tex.

The bride was graduated from the Bob Jones University at Greenville, S. C., and has been employed by a Gardena firm.

Her husband is also a grad-uate of the Bob Jones University.

Presented at Assembly

Walteria Business Club Makes Award

Miss Kathryn Gwen Turner is the winner of the Walteria Business Women's Club scholarship for 1962. The \$200 award was presented by Dr. Eleanor Thill, Scholarship Committee Chairman, at the Annual Awards Assembly at South High School. This is the third award presented by the club.

This award is given each year to an outstanding girl graduating from South High School, who is interested in furthering her education by attending a certified college or junior college, and who has shown by her scholarship record that she is capable of carrying out a college program.

Miss Turner served her Miss Turner served her freshman class as treasurer; was active in Girls Athletic Assn., participated in the Senior Class play and the All-School play. She is also a member of the California

Scholarship Federation, annual staff, Girls League board, and Junior Class Council.

Council.

The winner is a member of Future Teachers, Order of Athena and was editor of the Analecta. She plans to teach secondary school English and hopes to do creative writing.

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Kathryn, one of seven
children, is active in the
Sophistocats, Tri-Hi-Y, Luther
League in her church and has
participated in Little Theatre.
She plans to continue her
education at the University of
Iowa at Iowa City.



MRS. DANIEL CHRISTEN
... On Wedding Day
(Portrait by Seeman)