

Alums Will Open Season

Zeta Tau alumni will hold their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Chester Jensen, 1822 Valleta Dr., San Pedro, at 7:45 on Sept. 25.

The presiding officers this fall include Mmes. Fayze Fandey, president; Chester Stamps, treasurer; Mrs. Rex McCormick, historian.

Speaker for the evening will be a surprise guest who will share her impressions of Hong Kong during a recent visit.

The South Bay group will meet every fourth Tuesday of the month Mrs. Chester Jensen may be called for reservations.

Las Vegas Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Horwitz, 16615 Falda Ave., have returned from a four-day vacation spent at the Hotel Sahara in Las Vegas.

DA Council to Meet Tonight

Golden Bear Council 17, Daughters of America of Torrance will meet this evening at the Torrance Woman's Club, 1422 Engracia Ave. at 7:30 p.m. for a regular business meeting.

Stelma Norris, councilor, will preside and Mary Chaira is chairman for the evening.

School Party For Rebekahs

Torrance Rebekah Lodge 347, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave., Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 8 p.m. "School Days" will be the theme. All members are to come dressed as school children.

Shirley Lutz is chairman for the evening. Stelma Norris is noble grand.

Festive Party For Jeanette

Jeanette Susan Cobb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cobb, 3536 W. 187th St., Torrance, was complimented on her 11th birthday at a surprise party given by her parents.

Jeanette's guests were served ice cream, birthday cake and punch, after which they attended the theater in a group.

Helping celebrate with Jeanette were her sisters, Ellen, 14, and Linda, 12, Nonnie Wisdom, Janice Bates, Nancy Vogus, Joyce Stevens, Robin Evans, Jeanette Wise-man.

A special guest at the party are the Cobb girls' uncle, Harold Berman, a Chicago school teacher, here for his first visit in four years.

Jeanette, in her fifth year of scouting, is a sixth grade student at Crenshaw school.

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

'Shrieking for Children, Offends People of Taste'



Dear Ann Landers: This problem may seem trifling to others but it has caused me to consider mayhem.

Our neighborhood is lovely. The lawns are carefully manicured and the homes are beautiful. This area is indeed pleasing to the eye. But to the ear . . . well, that's a different matter.

All afternoon one can hear mothers shrieking, "Bon-n-ann-eeeeeeeee!" or "La-a-a-rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr!" It reminds one of the old Molly Goldberg days . . . "Mrs. Bl-ooo-ooooooooooooom!"

At about 5 o'clock I want to stuff cotton in my ears. Strangely enough, most of these shrieking mothers are cultured young women who attended good Eastern schools.

Please don't advise me to talk to the mothers, I'm not the type. They all read your column, so if you will just print this letter it would be a public service. — TIN EAR IN MICHIGAN

Dear Ear: I'll do more than just print your letter, I'll offer a solution — with multiple choices.

One needn't attend a "good Eastern School" to know that shrieking for children offends people of taste.

Mothers can let their youngsters know they are wanted at home by using cow bells, scout whistles, triangular gongs and a variety of other less-offensive noise-makers.

A colleague of mine recently obtained a hunter's duck-call. He reports that his wife gets an occasional mallard, but the kids always come home.

Dear Ann Landers: Our daughter is 19 and too good-looking for her own good. Nancy flunked out of the university last year and came home in February. Her dad insisted she go to work and earn part of her tuition if she wanted to return to the university in the fall.

She has a fine job and makes excellent money, but every dollar goes on her back. I remind her periodically that if she wants to go back to school she'll have to come up with half of her tuition. She says "O.K." — and keeps buying.

This evening Nancy told us she'd love to return to school next quarter, but she's flat broke. She promised to do her best if we paid her way.

I want my daughter to have a college education. My husband says it's up to me. What do you say? — E.L.P.

Dear E.L.P.: It's not enough that YOU want your daughter to have a college education. SHE must want one, too — and apparently she'd rather have a flashy wardrobe.

Tell her she can demonstrate her sincerity by sav-

ing her money and paying part of her tuition or it's no deal. And don't collapse or you'll regret it.

Dear Ann Landers: My cousin was married last month. Our wedding gift was a rather generous amount of money. We received no note of thanks. Last night we saw the newlyweds at a party. No mention was made of the gift.

The check was written on my mother's bank account. She attached a card to the check which read "Best wishes from the entire Jones family." This meant my sister, my brother and his wife and my husband and me, as well as Mother. We contributed equally.

We feel the bride should have thanked each of us. Should I say something to her, or just skip it? — INDIANAPOLIS READER

Dear Reader: The card which accompanied the check should have listed the name of each contributor.

Write your cousin a note and say: "I fear our gift to you was not properly labeled. The check was from Mother, Sister Frieda, Horace and me."

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Circle Meets At Church

Susanna Circle of Torrance First Methodist Church met Thursday at the church with Mrs. James McClure presiding. Discussed was the "Luncheon is Served" project to be staged jointly with the Sara Circle at the church on Oct. 25 at noon.

A skit entitled "Channels for the Word in Korea" was given by Mmes. Clara Witmer, Margie Goodell and McClure. It brought into focus the many projects of the Women's Division of Christian Service in that country. Mrs. Annie Olson gave the devotions which were followed by a covered dish luncheon.

Attending were Mmes. Chester Wiley, Ray Raible, Howard Kell, Walter Bennett, Clara Witmer, Lew Broatch, Virgie Fopay, Keith Lyons, Harlan McCool, C. P. Olson, Edward Goodell, Ora Donaldson, Pat McClure and James McClure.

On Oct. 4, the Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Olson, who recently became a resident at Rossmoor's Leisure World.



ANNUAL FIREMEN'S BALL . . . Auxiliary to the Torrance Fire Dept. has set Oct. 13 as the date of the annual ball to be held at the American Legion Hall from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Discussing the ball with a fireman are from left, Mrs. Gilbert Pike, George Fish, fireman, Mrs. Kenneth Hall, and Mrs. Richard Nanney. Proceeds will go to the Widow's Fund. Tickets are being sold by all auxiliary members and firemen.



MR. & MRS. WILLARD REICH . . . Married 25 years

Open House For Couple On Silver Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Reich, 22714 Evalyn Ave., were honored at an open house in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary on Sept. 4. The party was given at the home of Mrs. David Pierson, 3530 187th St. by the couple's daughters, Marcia and Donna Reich, assisted by Mrs. E. McGinty and Mrs. Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Reich were married in Evansville, Ind., on Sept. 4, 1937. They came to Torrance 17 years ago. Mr. Reich is employed by Hughes Aircraft. The family attends the First Baptist Church here.

For the party, Mrs. Reich wore a silver brocade dress and an orchid corsage, a gift from her husband.

Punch and cake were served from a table decorated in the silver and white theme.

Special guests were Mr. Reich's parents, Reverend and Mrs. H. Reich of Riverside. Rev. Reich officiated at the marriage in Evansville, 25 years ago.

Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crossman and Casey, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Dehn, Messrs. and Mmes.

Tom Garrison, Elston McGinty, Mack Monroe, David Pierson and Karen, Orville Pollard, Earl Rice, T. Sackman, Pat Scott, Bert Scott, J. Vorhees, Joel Stanley, and Mmes. Marie Hatch, Mike Medved.

Out-of-town guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Wentye Smith, Pomona; Bob Fontaine, Los Alamitos; Jerald Reich, South Gate; and Lucian, Alice and Kathy Reich, Riverside.

Weekend Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leech of Claremont spent last weekend in Torrance visiting their parents. On Saturday evening, the visitors and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tolson had dinner at the Palms. Mr. Leech is manager of the California Bank at Pomona.

To Oregon State

Miss Suzanne Melville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Melville left last Friday for Corvallis, Ore., to enter her second year at Oregon State University.

Fuschia Unit Meets Friday

Lomita Fuschia Society will meet tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the C. O. Eipper Garden at 25338 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita.

Mrs. Alice Martin of Hawthorne will be guest speaker. She will discuss general gardening problems.

All persons interested in gardening are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Approximately 200 persons attended the society's annual spaghetti dinner held recently at the Eipper Gardens.

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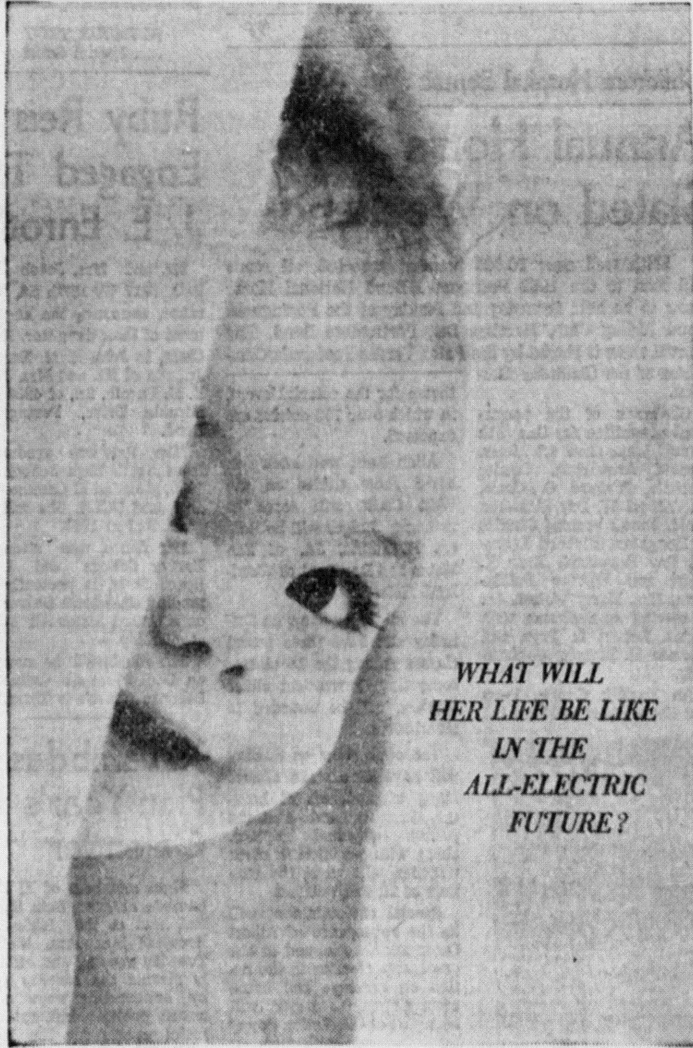


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