



SANDRA ARRANT  
... Accepts Ring

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arrant of Hollywood announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra, of 21629 Scannel, Torrance, to Erling A. Newgaard, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Newgaard of Long Beach.

The couple plan to be married in June 1964.

The bride-elect was graduated from Hollywood High School. She is employed at a Torrance bakery. Her fiancé, a graduate of Visalia High School, entered the United States Navy this week and is stationed in San Diego.

Mrs. Valley To Lecture Tomorrow

Second in a series of seven lectures by Lorita Baker Valley, distinguished commentator on world affairs and current literature, books, plays and magazines, will be presented at St. Francis Episcopal Church Parish Hall, Palos Verdes Estates, at 11 a.m. tomorrow, followed by a finger-tip luncheon. Free child care is offered.

Max Miller, whose books are legion and loved, writes: "As for her manner of reviewing books, all authors can appreciate her attitude on that one! Whereas some lecturers talk on and on about the same book, Mrs. Valley cuts her reviews short. Merely a hint about a number of books so that the audience itself can do its own selecting. She believes the same as authors believe—that books after all are to be read!"

This series will be Mrs. Valley's only appearance in the entire Peninsula area this season. The series ticket for the lectures and luncheons can be obtained from Mrs. R. M. Hamada. Tickets for single lectures may be obtained at the door.



PRACTICE FOR HOOTENANNY... Mrs. Bert Lynn, left, president of the Torrance Chapter, City of Hope, strums the guitar as Mrs. Walter West and Mrs. John Arensmeyer, memorize the words in preparation for Saturday evening's Hootenanny to be held at the Higgins Patio. A potluck supper will precede the song and dance fest. Proceeds go to the chapter's treasury. The public is invited to attend. (Herald Photo)

Bridge Party

Mrs. William Dekin entertained her bridge club and two guests at its regular Monday meeting at her home 2461 Sonoma.

The hostess served a brunch after which bridge was played with Mrs. R. E. Moffitt holding high score and Mrs. Dekin, second.

Club members present were Mmes James McMillan, E. L. Snodgrass, J. C. Warnock, Alma Smith, and R. E. Moffitt.

Guests were Mrs. Hazel Ward and her sister, Mrs. Viola Shaw. Mrs. Moffitt will be the club's next hostess at her home, 2724 Arlington Ave.

City of Hope Benefit

Hope Chapter Will Stage 'Hootenanny'

Torrance Chapter, City of Hope, will sponsor a gala "hootenanny" Saturday evening at Higgins Patio, 2217 W. 177th as a fund raising project to help further the medical work and research of the National City of Hope at Duarte.

A pot luck dinner will be served at 6 p.m. followed by an evening of music and fun. Following the pattern of the modern day "hootenanny," folk singing will highlight the evening hours. Attire for the informal evening will be casual. Dancing to recorded music will be another diversion.

Keith Riders on European Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Rider of the Ocean Club Apts., will leave by TWA jet Saturday, Nov. 2, for a six months vacation in Europe. They will fly from Los Angeles to Lisbon, Spain to begin their tour of the continent.

Last Saturday evening, the Riders were honored by many friends at a "bon voyage" party during the Jack o'Lantern Ball at the Beverly Hilton Hotel.

Newlywed Lester Meeks Now Living in Torrance

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Meek are now at home at 2415 Sonoma following their recent wedding at the First Baptist Church in Torrance and a honeymoon at Big Bear. Mrs. Meek is the former Ella Marie Breshears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Breshears, 2402 Apple Ave., Torrance. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Oceanside, formerly of Torrance.

For her wedding, the new Mrs. Meek wore a Chantilly tiered lace dress with scoop neckline and long pointed sleeves. Her fingertip veil was held by a pearl tiara and she carried white roses and stephanotis.

Miss Carol Bonin of Lucerne Valley was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Carol Friend and Laura Mefard. All were gowned in deep pink satin and their bouquets were of pink and white carnations.

Kenneth Meek stood as his brother's best man. Ushers were Brian Simpson, Willy Patterson, Dennis Breshears, Kenneth Hickah and John Clemmons.

Rev. Robert Dehn officiated at the marriage and Kenneth Myers was soloist. A reception for the 100 guests was held in the church hall. Andrea Crow was in charge of the guest book. Assisting were Margaret Aarup, Bea Keller and Jeri Bilson. Both Mr. and Mrs. Meek are graduates of Torrance High School.

Utah Hunting Trip

Returning last weekend from a deer hunting trip in Utah were Robert and Robin Moffitt, LeGrand Barkdull, Dr. R. A. Bingham, all of Torrance, and Bill Gibson of Downey.

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

'The Universality Of Man's Problems'

Dear Readers: The following letter was forwarded to me by Mohammed Azhar Ali Khan, of the Morning News in Karachi, Pakistan. I am printing it because it demonstrates so pointedly the universality of man's problems.

Dear Ann Landers: I read your column today in the Karachi Morning News and the letter that struck me was written by a 17-year-old boy named David.

You see, I am 17 years old, and my name is David, also. I have the same problem the American David wrote about. In fact, his description of himself fits me exactly.

I know how he feels when people mistake him on the telephone for his sister or his mother. It is horribly embarrassing, not only for me, but for the person who makes the error. Like the American David, I, too, hate to speak in the classroom because my voice is so high-pitched. When I make a contrived effort to speak in a lower voice I become tense and my voice becomes even higher.

Could you please send me the address of the American David, Miss Landers? Since we have the same problem perhaps we could help each other. Sincerely yours—ANOTHER DAVID

Dear David: Thank you for writing. I regret that I cannot do as you ask, but under no circumstances would I put one person in touch with another through this column.

You sound like a fine boy, David, and the American David who wrote sounds like a fine boy, too, but I would not risk introducing people through the mails because sometimes people are not quite as fine as they sound on paper.

I hope you noticed my advice to the American David. It will work for you, too.

Dear Ann Landers: I just wrote a letter to you describing my problem. Before sealing the letter I re-read it and was dumbfounded. Why? Because I suddenly realized I have read dozens of letters exactly like it—in your column.

Strange how each of us has a blind spot and thinks "I am different. The rules don't apply to me."

Here is the same tired story: Middle-aged woman— attractive, hungry for the excitement of an affair. Rationalizes that her husband takes her for granted. The years (Continued on Page 26)



FASHIONS FOR CHARITY... South Bay Alpha Chi Alumnae have joined other alumnae groups of the district in staging their annual "Magic in Motion" fashion luncheon at the Beverly Hilton Hotel on Thursday Nov. 7. Local alumnae were in charge of sending out the invitations to the seventh annual event, which benefits the Crippled Children's Society. Here, Mrs. Daryl J. Creighton, secretary, of the Alumnae group, points out the time and the place to, Mmes. Gilbert Fries, left, and Mrs. Ralph Brubaker as they plan to attend the affair. (Herald Photo)

Crippled Children's Benefit

Alpha Chi Alumnae Fashion Show Nov. 7

"Let's make it three in '63" are the words being heard these days among the Alpha Chi Omega alumnae making the final plans for the seventh annual "Magic in Motion" fashion luncheon benefit to be held on Nov. 7 in the International Ballroom of the Beverly Hilton Hotel.

The recent announcement from the National Society for Crippled Children that the 19th District (Southern California and Hawaii) of Alpha Chi Omega ranked first in the United States and Canada in 1962, for the second straight year, in funds raised and service hours contributed for handicapped aid has created new interest in this annual event. Of special note is the fact that the Southern California Executive Board, sponsor of the coming benefit, was responsible for the greatest financial assistance in the district.

Hundreds of white feathered birds escaping from white bird cages centered on olive green table cloths at each table and from a large aviary on stage will convey the message of the benefit theme which symbolizes that to a crippled child there is "Magic in Motion."

Following luncheon, guests will see and hear California designer Georgia Bullock,

who will appear in person to present her latest Fall and Barefoot Collection.

Among the featured guests will be Mrs. George Stevens (Ivy Baker Priest, former treasurer of the United States and past honorary chairman of the National Easter Seal Campaign) and Alfred T. Alden, president, Crippled Children's Society of Los Angeles County.

Some of the alumnae in the Torrance area, who have helped with the invitations and are planning to attend the benefit are: Mmes Ralph Brubaker, 4904 Maricopa St.; Daryl Creighton, 25932 Richville Drive; Gil Fries, 5207 Paseo de las Tortugas and Fred G. Smith, 1219 Cranbrook.

Mrs. D. Ernest Koller, 21019 Wood Ave., will be attending the luncheon with her daughter, Mrs. I. F. Richardson, who is press chairman of the South Bay Alumnae Club.



ELIZABETH BAILEY  
... November Bride

Nov. 16 Set For Couple's Nuptial Day

Miss Elizabeth Helen Bailey will become the bride of Byron Patrick Cooper on Nov. 16 in a formal wedding at the Narbonne Baptist Church.

The announcement of the engagement and the wedding plans of their daughter is being made today by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bailey, 26437 Ozone Ave., Harbor City.

The future bride was graduated from Narbonne High School in 1960. She is employed by the First Western Bank in Torrance.

Her fiancé, who served with the United States Air Force following his graduation from Torrance High School, operates Patrick's Carousel, hair styling salon, in San Pedro.

Club Plans Bus Trip To 'Icecapades'

Knolls Travelers Club of Torrance is planning a chartered bus trip to the 1964 Icecapades in Long Beach in November. Fifty tickets are now on sale on a first come, first served basis.

Plans are also being made for the club's first Christmas party.

The next meeting will be a birthday party for four members. Initiation of ten new members is also planned.

Here for Wedding

Out-of-state guests here for the wedding of Miss Carol Lee Barnum and Harry L. Hamilton, Jr., which took place Oct. 5 at Nativity Church, included the bride's sister, Mrs. Howard Hauser of Indianapolis, Ind.; the bridegroom's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woolsey of Tulsa, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of San Carlos, Colo.

CDA Court Will Meet Tonight

Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold its regular business meeting this evening at 8 p.m. at the parish hall. Voting on new candidates will be held and initiation, set for Nov. 21, will be planned. Mrs. Wesley Muzik, district deputy, will be a guest at this evening's meeting.



HOLIDAY PUPPETS... Torrance Jaycettes are making and selling clever little puppets as a Christmas ways and means project. Here, two children, Eric Nelson, 3, left, and Tina Burbank, 3½, demonstrate the puppets for Mrs. Robert Vroman. The seven varieties of puppets will be on sale at the Jaycette Holiday Fashion Show Dec. 4 at the Torrance Recreation Center. Individuals wishing to purchase puppets may call Mrs. Harold Smith or Mrs. Robert Vroman. Money derived from the puppet sale will go to Jaycette Christmas charities. (Herald Photo)



MRS. LESTER MEEK  
... Former Ella Marie Breshears (George Herrin Photo)