

Social World

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MAKE TABLE DECORATIONS . . . Palos Verdes-South Bay Alumnae of Alpha Xi Delta are in charge of table decorations for the sorority's 71st annual Founders Day celebration and State Day to be held, April 11, at the Newporter Inn. Local members working on the decorations are, from left, Mmes. Harvey Jensen, Russell Smith, standing, and Thomas Black. (Herald Photo)



GIVE EASTER BUNNY A HAND . . . A check and approximately 300 colored Easter eggs made up the gift the South Bay Mothers of Twins club presented to the Harbor General Hospital for Easter. The check will be used to aid in the building of a special heart research machine. Shown at the presentation are from left, Mrs. George Morehart, president of the Volunteers for Children, Inc., Tommy and Linda Steinbrecher, 3 1/2-year-old twins of the Jerry Steinbrechers of Torrance, and Mrs. Russell E. Cameron, co-chairman of the club's philanthropic committee. (Herald Photo)



MRS. ERNEST G. BUTT
... To Direct Auxiliary

Installation April 14

Auxiliary Elects 1964-65 Officers

Mrs. Ernest G. Butt, 728 S. Catalina Ave., Redondo has been elected president of the Auxiliary to the Torrance Memorial Hospital for the year 1964-65. She is the wife of Dr. Ernest Butt.

The new president, who has a bachelor of science degree from the University of Indianapolis where she pledged Zeta Tau Alpha, has studied at the Vogue School of Fashion Art in Chicago and at the John Herran Art Institute in Indianapolis.

An active clubwoman, she is a charter member of the South Bay Chapter of the City of Hope, has served as president of the Redondo Beach Woman's Club; was coordinator to the Dianas, junior woman's club, and is a member of the Friday Morning Club.

Mrs. Butt is a member of the Methodist Church, works with the American Red Cross and is president of the Hillcrest PTA. She holds a life membership in the Torrance Hospital Assn.; is a member of the Women's Auxiliary of the Los Angeles County Medical Assn.; and is also active with the Palos Verdes Art Assn.

The new president became a member of the Torrance Hospital Auxiliary in 1951.

Dr. and Mrs. Butt are parents of two daughters, Sandra, a pre-medical student at UCLA and a married daughter, Mrs. Martha Jane Murray of Waltham. They have one grandchild.

Elected to serve with Mrs. Butt for the coming year were Mmes. Leon Warne, James K. Lees and Joseph Helphand, vice-presidents; Alma Smith, recording secretary, John Bruno, corresponding secretary; Robert Sleeth, treasurer.

Others are Mmes George Post, reception desk chairman; James McClaran, baby photo chairman; R. A. Bingham, Pinkie; Irwin Kasten, sewing; John Schwartz, gift cart; Gilbert Triplitt, magazine cart; Gilbert Derouin, maternity teas; James Anderson, credits; and Harvel Guttenfelder, staff meetings.

Installation of the new officers will take place at a luncheon April 14 at the Plush Horse restaurant.



MRS. HARVEY L. BERG
... Former Lynn Barrett
(Photography by Crotty)

YOUR PROBLEMS
by Ann Landers

'There's More Than Mail, Friend . . .'

Dear Ann Landers: May I offer a bit of advice to the college graduate who wants to be a postman because he thinks it will be a life free of pressure, aggravation and grief? All he sees is fresh air and exercise. Well, I've been a postman for 19 years and I can tell him a few things he doesn't know.

He will have to get up at 5 a.m. in the morning and report to the terminal at 6:30 a.m. For the first two years he will "run spare" which means he may be sent anywhere in the city to deliver mail on a route he never saw before.

And there's more than mail, Friend. There are magazines, parcels, COD items, registered mail and sometimes that bloomin' bag weighs 45 pounds.

Fresh air? Indeed. Also rain, snow, sleet, fog, smog and hail. And please don't forget about those dogs who think a mailman is lunch.

I'm now kicking myself because I thought two years of high school was plenty and a civil service job meant the end of all my worries—FLAT FEET

Dear Feet: Thanks for the letter. It's not every day we get a letter straight from a mailman. Here's one from the wife of a colleague of yours.

Dear Ann Landers: For the past seven years I've been the wife of a postman so I feel qualified to answer "Pick-A-Dilly."

What a man does for a living should be HIS choice. If the girl he wants to marry cannot be proud of him and his work, he should marry someone who can.

A college degree does not guarantee success or contentment in a job. What is important is that the man enjoy his work. My postman husband does.

His pay is not high but the work is satisfying and challenging. We do a great many things together, as a family.

My husband is a respected member of the community. He has made more friends than most executives make in a lifetime. He doesn't have ulcers, high blood pressure or heart trouble. I would not trade him for the highest paid executive in America.—WIFE OF A FIRST CLASS MALE

Dear First Class Wife: Thanks for the cheers. You sound like the kind of a gal (Continued on Page 28)

At Newporter Inn

Alpha Xi Delta to Mark Founders Day

Invitations have been sent out to Alpha Xi Deltas from Bakerfield to San Diego for their 71st annual Founders Day celebration and State Day, to be held at the Newporter Inn, Newport Beach on Saturday, April 11.

Registrations and reunions will begin at 11 a.m. There will be a panel discussion at 11:30 a.m. and luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m.

Miss Gertrude Andersen, national executive secretary retired, will be the main speaker. Her topic is "Footnotes Can Be Fun." Mrs. Nash Sennessy will also speak on "Remembering."

Members of the Southern California Alliance will be hostesses with Mrs. Ray Blocker in charge of reservations, which must be in by April 9.

Palos Verdes-South Bay Alumnae Club is in charge of table decorations under the chairmanship of Mrs. James Stovall.

Local Artist

Presides at

Spring Show

Marion Cummings of Torrance, well-known artist of the Southland, will serve as demonstrator on April 26 at 2 p.m. at the 11th annual spring art exhibit staged by the Las Artistas Art Group.

The event, which will be held at the Greek Theater in Griffith Park, opens Sunday, April 5 and continues through April 28. Hours are 2 to 5 p.m. daily and there is no admission charge.

Members of the group planning to attend the Founders Day celebration include Mmes. Thomas Black, Harvey Jensen, Luther Beard, Gilbert Rea and Kenneth Cunningham.

Mrs. Harvey Jensen of Torrance or Mrs. Luther Beard of Palos Verdes may be contacted for further information or transportation.

At International Hotel

Council's Fashion Benefit Set May 17

Women's Council of St. Catherine Laboure parish will stage its tenth annual benefit fashion luncheon on May 17 at the International Hotel at International Airport. Mrs. Henry Morgan is serving as chairman for the event with Mrs. Charles Gibbon as co-chairman.

Others working enthusiastically on the event, proceeds from which will go to the parish hall fund, are Mmes. Charles Glomboske, Gerald Lytle, George Pleick, Wesley English, Curtis Lee, Vincent Tremblay, Donald Croxen, Harry Lockwood, Walter Hanf, Raymond Gordon, John Marlowe, Les Haynes, Bernard Brady and Irvin Gleason.

The show will feature the new fashions from a Gardena shop with styles by Nardis of Dallas, Jonathan Logan, Serbin of Florida, Catalina of Hollywood, and many others. The newest in millinery

will be furnished by a Leimert Park shop and hair fashions will be done by a Torrance salon.

Among the exciting events of the afternoon will be the awarding of the grand door prize, a genuine imported European wig in the color and style suitable to the winner. Also included in the many door prizes will be a two-day stay at the Holiday Lodge, Stateline, Lake Tahoe.

During intermission, guests will be entertained by Sally and Dick Castle, professionals.

Seating will be by reservation only. Tickets may be secured by calling Mrs. John Marlowe or Mrs. Charles Wells.

Vacation Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seeman returned Tuesday from a week's vacation at Black Meadow Landing on the Colorado River.

Fiestadores Entertain At Gala 'Bunny Hop'

Members of the Las Fiestadores Club invited guests to join them for their annual "Bunny Hop" held Saturday evening March 21.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Voien, 1724 Hickory, was the setting for the cocktail party prior to the dance. Hosts were committee members, Mmes. R. S. Sleeth, A. N. Posner, Ralph Rugraff, Homer St. Martin, and the Voien.

Club members and guests then went to the Alondra club for dancing. The club was effectively decorated in the Easter theme with clever Easter arrangements centering each table.

Guests for the evening were Messrs. and Mmes. Robert Scharet, Robert Sabus,

James Good, Alex Skulsky, Cliff Trezise, Leonard Layton, Rich McDonald, Charles Delio, Dean Sears, Ralph Bezanon, Howard Voien, Thomas Denman; and Miss Diane Lee St. Martin and Mr. Jerry Gardiner.

Club members on hand for the spring dance were Messrs. and Mmes. W. C. Boswell, J. B. Brooks, W. O. Clausing, W. E. Christian, E. E. Clayton, R. R. Dexter, J. A. Eisenbrandt, J. Helphand, J. P. Montague H. D. Robinson, R. H. Tolson, R. J. Triplitt, T. G. Wilkes, C. A. Woodcock.

Others were Drs. and Mmes. W. E. Grubb, P. M. Halloran, Allen Pyeatt, C. A. Tabellarlo, P. A. Winn, Stanley Yanase; and Mr. R. M. Norris.

Barrett-Berg Nuptials Recited by Candlelight

In a double-ring candlelight ceremony at the First Baptist Church in Torrance at eight o'clock on March 20, Miss Lynn Barrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Barrett, 2551 Sierra St., Torrance, exchanged her marriage promises with Harvey L. Berg.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Berg of Heber, Utah.

As the 150 guests assembled, Mrs. Pat Ouwendijk, organist, played a medley of nuptial music and accompanied Mike Powers who sang.

The bride, escorted by her father to the altar, wore an Alfred Angelo original wedding gown fashioned with a cameo neckline accented with tiny seed pearls. The short sleeves were of Chantilly lace scalloped enhanced by roses. Hand-shirred roses decorated the chantilly lace which fell into a bouffant skirt, fashioned with a chapel train. A cluster of roses added back interest where the train was attached to the gown. A single silk rose secured her illusion veil and the bride carried a small white Bible topped by a cascade of white roses.

Miss Karen Keppler was maid of honor. She wore deep

pink taffeta. Bridesmaids were Misses Judy Meadows, Beth Biller and Madlyn Berg. Their gowns were of pale pink taffeta and all of the attendants carried cascades of pink roses.

Lowell Berg of Norwalk served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Russell Berg, George Chrissos and Greg Barrett.

Lowandra Berg, in a pink taffeta frock, was flower girl and the rings were carried by Philippe Lalanne.

Rev. Robert Coburn officiated at the marriage ceremony which was followed by a reception in Fellowship Hall. Miss Geraldine Dilkus was in charge of the bride's book.

Following a honeymoon in Nevada, the newlyweds are now at home at 10720 Burin Ave., Lennox.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and El Camino College. She is now attending Long Beach State College. Her husband, a Wasatch High School graduate, is a student at Northrop Institute of Technology, Inglewood.

The bridegroom's parents, two brothers and a sister came from Utah to attend the wedding.



MODELS GRAND DOOR PRIZE . . . An imported wig, styled and colored for the winner, will be the grand door prize at the benefit fashion show to be staged by the St. Catherine Women's Council on May 17. The wig is being modeled by Mrs. Bernard P. Brady of Torrance. Admiring, from the left, are Mmes. Charles Wells, Torrance; Homer Monteros, Redondo; Donald Croxen, Lawndale; and Wesley English, Torrance. (Webber Photo)