

LAS MADRECITAS SLATE ANNUAL EVERGREEN BALL

Las Madrecitas will hold its gala Evergreen Ball on November 30 at the Lafayette Hotel, with proceeds going to the Crippled Children's Guild of the Orthopedic hospital.

The Ballerina and Supper rooms of the hotel will be decorated with hugh gold mesh Christmas trees covered with green leaves and gold balls. Music for dancing will be provided by Roger Bacon and his orchestra.

Mrs. Richard Egan, decoration chairman, will be assisted by Mmes. Kenneth W. Betts, Horace Le Cuyer, Walter Hetz, Aubrey Gay, G. R. Reinhardt, Richard Wilson, James G. Granat, Charles Neubehauer, W. B. Thompson, Bruce Swauger, Malcolm Richlan, and Paul Waller.

Mrs. Thomas Cahraman, hostess chairman, will be assisted by Mmes. D. G. Gleason, N. E. Clifford, Arnold W. Martin, R. E. Wilcoxon and N. W. Watson.

Table seating arrangements are being made by Mrs. Frank Bescooby, and her committee, Mmes. Harry Coulombe, Charles T. Van Vliet.

In charge of financial arrangements are Mrs. Robert Eckhouse and Mrs. Howard Langpap.

LIONESS CLUB

Approximately 20 members of the Torrance Lioness club attended a smorgasbord dinner and party at the Officers Club on Terminal Island, recently.



SUE SCULLY, instructor, Virginia Bausman and Wilma Rose Allen show some of the items being made in the Christmas workshop being sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department.—Press Photo.

CHRISTMAS WORKSHOP

Kitchen ornaments and a Santa Mobile will be among the projects adding to the festive holiday spirit at the Christmas workshop given by the Torrance Recreation Department Dec. 3, 4, 5, Tuesday through Thursday in two identical sessions 1 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.

The workshop at the Victor E. Benstead plunge, 3331 Torrance blvd., will be gay with a wealth of Christmas ideas. All the materials for making candles, Christmas cards, door decorations, mobiles, and six gifts for men, women, and children are included in the \$2.50 fee.

Instruction brochures for all these items the class will make and also for many others which will be displayed will be given to all the class members. At the afternoon workshop sessions mothers in the class are invited to bring their children four years and older for the children's class.

Mrs. Sue Scully and Mrs. Benny O'Rourke are the workshop instructors. Registration is now being accepted for a limited class.

Students Give Piano Recital

A recital of the piano pupils of Lois Balsley was presented on Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church before an audience of parents and friends.

Youngsters playing selections from the teachers book, "Small Tunes for Small People," were Johnnie Elliot, Sandy Bates, Janice Heinkel, Joan Sebastian, Edna Gardner, and Rita Bandolan.

Folk songs of many countries were presented by Katherine Carey, Mary Helen Argueta, Penny Pollack, Pamela Helms and Marcia Atchison.

Other students who presented numbers were Victoria La Combe, Selma Cothran, Filomena Onorato, Joyce Goree, Stephen Deering, Star Marco, Patsy Williams, Beckie Gascon and Ronnie Salmon.

Also Steffany Podesta, Linda Mehl, Robert Elliot, Dorene Podesta, Yvonne Lye, Francine Inez, Marie Calise, Mary Magdalen Burich, Evelyn Carr, Mary Lee, Armishaw and Corey Marco.

Lois Balsley was head of the children's piano work at Porter's School of Music, for many years.



MRS. DON MILLER

—Crotty Photo

MARTIN-MILLER MARRIAGE VOWS READ BY FATHER OF THE BRIDE

When Joan Martin became the bride of Don Miller, at Harbor Revival Tabernacle, on November 23, at 8 p.m., her father, Rev. Fred Martin, not only gave her away but officiated at the double ring service. He was assisted by Rev. Herman Ezell, of Wilmington.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Fred Martin, 1741 W. 248th st., Lomita, and Mr. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, 1511 W. 220th st., also of Lomita.

For the wedding ceremony she wore a Maurer Original gown, with a fitted lace bodice, cap sleeves and a v-neckline, edged in scalloped lace. The extremely bouffant skirt of net over taffeta, had a satin bustle and a chapel length train. The illusion veil was held in place by a crown of pearls and she carried a white orchid bouquet. The "something" borrowed was a crystal necklace belonging to the bridegroom's mother. The necklace had been a gift to her from Mr. Miller upon their engagement.

Attendants for the bride were, Virginia Vick, maid of honor, Jean Durant, bridesmaid, and Judy Smith, flower girl. Candelighters were Linda Rinehart and Freddie Martin.

Mike Carrick was the best man and Ted Bolas seated the guests. Luanna Hancock was in charge of the guest book.

A reception was held at the church after the wedding, with Lorene Smith and Mrs. George Winner in charge. They were assisted by Helen Hall, Bakersfield, Fern Ware and Nellie Thompson, both of Escondido, and Lola Vickers, Chula Vista.

Gladys Lowther baked the beautifully decorated wedding cake topped by a bride and groom, as well as two extra, heart shaped cakes.

The couple left for a trip to Santa Barbara after the reception. They will reside in Lomita upon their return.

MISS DUKE ADDRESSES Y

"What difference does it make that we are a national organization?" Carolyn Duke, national board staff of the YWCA asked when speaking to a conference group meeting in the Torrance branch.

"As a national organization we have respect on a governmental level. Our government consults the YWCA on matters dealing with women, knowing that we have a long history of work with women and girls."

"We have non-governmental representation on the UN and work for the promotion of world peace."

Those attending the conference on national support were: Mrs. E. C. Spires, president of the Harbor Area Board of Directors; Mmes. E. G. Croom, Bert Swearingen, Elsa Morris, Joel S. Canby, Jean Nelson, Oth S. Blackstone, and Misses Jeannette Patchin and Jean Orville.

Unusual Bird

Gary Baker, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Baker, 821 Cerise ave., definitely has a way with pets.

He has taught a Java Temple bird named Pete, to play dead. The bird seems to understand the command "Play Dead" and will immediately roll over on his back and put his feet in the air, Gary says that he can even lift Pete by his feet and he is completely relaxed and keeps his eyes closed.

He has had the bird about three months.

CLUB TO PARTICIPATE IN 'IT COULD BE YOU'

Mothers Club members from Junipero Serra High school, Gardena, are scheduled to provide audience participants for the television show "It Could Be You" on November 29.

In charge of arrangements is Mrs. J. J. Meenan who has indicated that tickets are to be secured at the studio prior to 12:45 p.m. at which time he doors are closed.

"The show is to be filmed on November 29, and telecast at a later date," stated Mrs. Meenan. "More than fifty Serra Mothers are expected to attend and are urged to bring neighbors and friends," she added.

"It Could Be You" is televised at National Broadcasting Company, Studio "E," Sunset and Vine sts., Hollywood.

SILVER TEA HONORS ALL GARDEN CLUBS IN AREA

A Silver Tea was given by the Greenthumbers Garden Club at the clubhouse of the Torrance Womans club as a garden therapy project. Invitations were sent to all garden clubs in the area by the president of Greenthumbers, Mrs. Eldon Sellmeyer.

Mrs. George Horton, vice president and program chairman, introduced Mrs. Roderick Black who was the guest speaker for the afternoon. Her program consisted of holiday arrangements and favors. Mrs. Black is president of the Los Angeles Garden club and the district and state program chairman.

After the program, refreshments were served from a table with a center piece of fruit, and candles in autumn shades on either side. Presiding at the tea services were Mrs. Howard Elliott of Canoga Park and Mrs. Ed Viskoell of Burbank. They are honorary members of the Greenthumbers Garden club.

Special guests at the tea were Mrs. R. O. Young, District 2A director; Mrs. Minot Rugg, president of the Torrance Terrace club; Mrs. Margaret Clark, president of the North Torrance Fuchsia society; Mrs. B. N. Fonville, president of the Riviera Gardena club; Mrs. K. B. Slagle, co-chairman of the garden section of the Neptunian club of Manhattan Beach; Mrs. Phyllis McIntyre, president of the Los Colinas Garden club; and Mrs. M. B. Scott, president of the San Pedro Garden club.

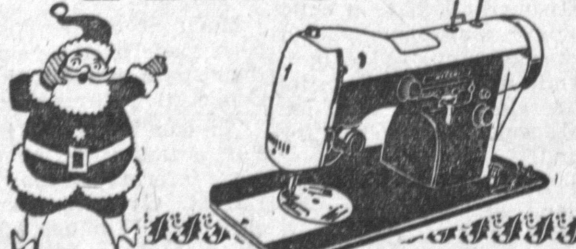
Week-End Visit

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Crossland, 2143 Middlebrook Rd., and children, Cassey and Craig, recently spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Crossland's great-aunt, in Alpine, near San Diego.



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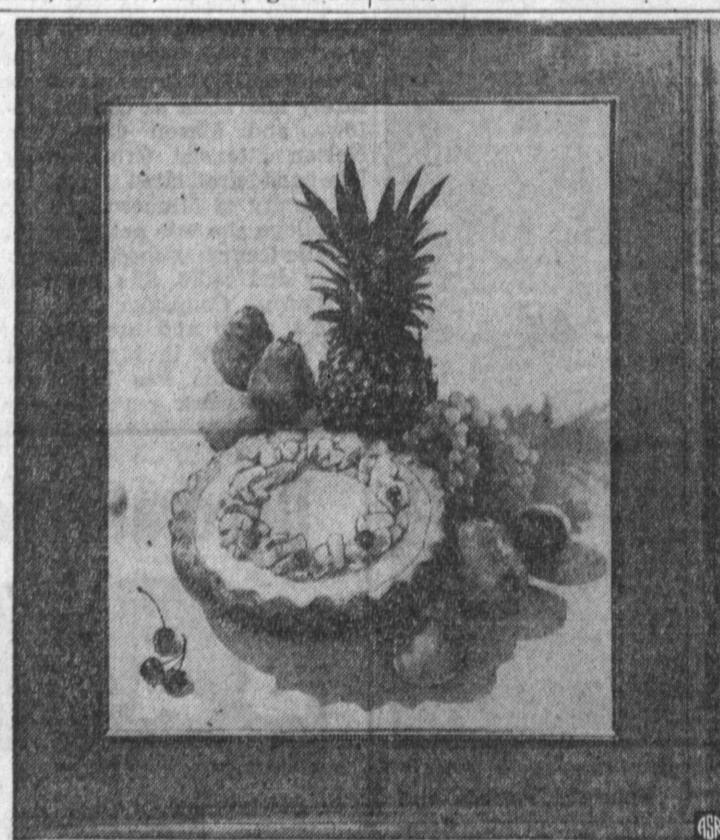
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The egnog is heated in a saucepan over low heat with unflavored gelatine and sugar. Heavy cream, whipped and added to the egnog and gelatine, gives additional smoothness and richness. Then in go flavorings and the fruit cocktail with its taste medley of peaches, pears, pineapple and cherries. The filling is ready to be turned into a baked pastry crust . . . home assembled or from a mix.

Fruited Egnog Pie

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| 1 envelope unflavored gelatine | 1 cup whipping cream, whipped |
| 1/4 cup sugar | 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla |
| 1/4 teaspoon salt | 1/4 teaspoon almond extract |
| 2 cups commercially prepared egnog | 1 can (29 ounces) fruit cocktail, thoroughly drained |
| | 1 baked 9-inch pie shell |

Mix gelatine, sugar and salt. Gradually stir in egnog. Warm over direct low heat until gelatine is dissolved. Chill until mixture mounds when dropped from spoon. Fold in whipped cream, flavorings. 1 1/2 cups drained fruit cocktail. Chill again until mixture mounds. Heap into baked pie shell. Decorate with remaining fruit cocktail. Chill 2 to 4 hours. YIELD: 1 9-inch pie.

GUEST SPEAKER

An unusual testimony will be given at the Foursquare church, Arlington and Sepulveda blvd., Sunday at 10:45 a.m., when Reuben Flores, one time member of the "Black Cross Gang" of Los Angeles, will give his life's story.

This young man became a user of narcotics at the age of thirteen, has been arrested seventeen times on juvenile delinquency and narcotic charges, but today is preaching the Gospel, cleared by the authorities, and completely delivered from dope addiction.

Rev. Jas. P. Lowen, the pastor of the church, especially urges all teen-agers and young people to hear this amazing testimony.



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